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Prospects Are Good Opening of W. T.

When West Texas State College opens its fall semester Sept. 15, two significant additions will be noted by old and new students alike. The new \$450,000 library building will be in use, and one of the Army's new "Branch General" Reserve Officers' Training Corps unit will begin operation.

Registration of sophomores and upperclassmen is scheduled from 8 a. m. to 4:30 p. m. in the new library building, Sept. 16, and freshmen will take psychological and English tests at 9 a. m. and 2 p. m. on that same day. Freshmen will register on September 17, and classes begin the following day, according to Registrar Frank Morgan. Dormitories will be open Sunday, September 14, and a faculty breakfast and business session is slated at 8 a. m., September 15.

The Amarillo Center of West Texas State, where night classes are taught, will hold registration at 7 p. m., September 15.

A college bus will again bring commuters from Amarillo to the campus each morning in time for 8 o'clock classes, and will return to Amarillo at noon, according to Virgil Henson, business manager.

Moving of West Texas State's thousands of books, periodicals, and government documents from the Administration Building to the modern brick and stone structure, which completes the front campus quadrangle, was finished last month. The building features convenience and space, and architect's plans allow for future expansion.

Staff and instructional personnel for the ROTC unit, headed by Lt. Col. Raymond H. Lumry, professor of military science and tactics, will be complete before the semester opens. Three officers and five non-commissioned officers make up the unit's staff, which will teach a general course in basic and advanced training. "Branch General," newest ROTC program, allows students to select their own branch of Army service.

All freshman and sophomore men students at WT will enroll in ROTC, which replaces required physical education. An advanced course for juniors has been assured by enrollment of a sufficient number of men who have met requirements.

Long-needed space for other departments has been provided by the new library building, since the library has occupied a large portion of the Administration Building since 1916. The department of social sciences will occupy rooms on the second floor formerly used by the library, with the division of public services and administrative

C-C Begins Work Christmas Plans

One of the more important phases of the Chamber of Commerce Board meeting Thursday night was the planning of a Christmas program. The organization is making every attempt to improve the Christmas program each year.

Members of the board of directors agreed that it was a long time until Christmas. They also agreed that if the Christmas program were going to be the kind that is usually desired this year, a lot of work would have to be done.

Some of the other businesses that was discussed by the board of directors included the discussion of entering a float in the parade at Amarillo's Tri-State Fair on Sept. 22. Then there was the question of finding someone to fill the unexpired term being vacated by Cliff Mlinar.

For this place the board of directors unanimously agreed upon Dr. Ples Harper. Their plans were to get Dr. Harper as a Chamber of Commerce worker at the beginning of 1953. Cliff's leaving has brought Dr. Harper into the board a few months earlier, Glenn Waggoner explained.

Moisture for 1952 Totals Only 10.77

There was another shower Thursday, bringing 28 of an inch.

This brought the total for August up to 1.06 inches, with a total for the year of 1952 up to 10.77 inches.

During August seven showers were recorded in Canyon, but the largest amount of rain received at any one time was 28 of an inch. The other showers did no good to the crops.

The grass and row crop situation is very serious as the result of the continued dry weather.

ATTEND FUNERAL OF AUNT

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Adcock and Mrs. Ruth Hill attended the funeral of Mrs. Bill Ferguson of Abilene last Wednesday. Mrs. Ferguson was the aunt of Mr. Adcock and Mrs. Hill.

Funeral Mrs. L. E. Simms Held Thursday at 2

Funeral services for Mrs. L. E. Simms were held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Methodist Church, conducted by Rev. J. R. Sharp.

Mrs. Simms had died at 4:56 p. m. at the hospital in Wichita Falls of pneumonia. She had been there for one week for medical treatment.

The deceased was born at McGregor 68 years ago. She had lived in Randall county for 52 years. She has been a member of the Methodist Church since early girlhood, and was active in the work of her church.

For the past several years she has conducted a curio shop in the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum. Through her work she has come in contact with thousands of visitors who were amazed at her knowledge of the early history of the Panhandle country.

The active pall bearers were Boone McClure, Velton Sogge, Jack Hughes, Wilford Taylor, Jr., Leroy Wooten, Bill Money.

The body was laid to rest in Dreamland Cemetery under the direction of the Griggs-Warren Funeral Home.

Survivors are the husband, L. E. Simms; one brother, Lon Connolly of McGregor; four sisters, Mrs. C. N. Corne and Mrs. W. R. Seaman of Plainview, Mrs. Ed Teasley and Mrs. Mary Willis of Amarillo.

Observe Final Rites for Mrs. Albers Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Anna Catherine Albers were conducted at the family home Monday morning at 10:30 o'clock. Officiating at the service was Rev. Martin J. Hartenberger of Amarillo.

Death came to the 84-year-old woman at 8:10 o'clock in the evening of August 29. She had been in Neblett Hospital five days before she died.

Mrs. Albers was born in Edinburg, Germany. She came to Canyon in June, 1925. She was preceded in death by her husband, J. E. Albers, who died in 1943. Three sons and two daughters also preceded the mother's death.

Anna Catherine Bruen was born September 2, 1867. She came to the United States at the age of 22 in 1889. Two years later, in 1891, she married J. E. Albers. At the time of her death she was a member of the Lutheran Church in Amarillo.

The deceased is survived by three sons, E. H. Albers of Gladstone, N. M., George Albers of Canyon, and Arthur E. Albers of Dumas; five daughters, Mrs. Martha Meyer, Emerson, Nebr., Mrs. Dora Michael, Lincoln, Nebr., Mrs. Alvina Chilcott, Wisner, Nebr., Mrs. Theresa Root, Canyon, and Mrs. Leona Hobert of Dumas; 38 grandchildren, and 34 great grandchildren.

Grandsons acted as pall bearers. Funeral services were under the direction of the Griggs-Warren Funeral Home. After the funeral service the body was sent to Wisner, Nebr., for burial.

Hospital News

Mrs. Warren Dewitt, medical Frank Boston, medical B. M. Causey, surgical Mrs. C. A. Pruitt, surgical Linda Graham, medical Mrs. Hugh Witherspoon, medical Marshall H. Rockwell, Sr., medical

Mrs. George Wm. Willson, surgical Mrs. Carl Eugene Hair, surgical Gayle Crouch, medical Mrs. Johnnie Leona Cole, surgical Phyllis Marjorie Richcreek, surgical

Deloris Elizabeth Artho, medical Births

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richard Beck are the parents of a baby girl, born August 27.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Womble on August 28. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Travis W. Payne, Jr., a daughter on Sept. 1. It's a son born to Mr. and Mrs. Jack B. London on Sept. 1.

Capt. and Mrs. Earl B. Essing have returned to their home in San Antonio after having visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Wilson; their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Hamill Wilson of Fritch; and their aunt, Mrs. Pauline Groves, in Stinnett.

Misses Pauline Brigham and Helen White Moore, Dr. Letta Boswell, Mrs. J. M. White and Mrs. Clyde Warwick are in Albuquerque this week on a vacation trip.

Mr. and Mrs. George Denny and Dr. and Mrs. Dudley Moore spent last week in Red River, N. M.

New shipment of shirts and Flannel Slack. Fall colors. At Johnson's Men's Wear.

Deadline for Car Inspection Is Next Saturday

Saturday, September 6, is the deadline for the state required auto inspections. Cars not inspected after that date will be stopped and drivers are likely to be fined. During the past six weeks authorities have been warning the public that the deadline would not be extended again. This date is exactly one year from the time the bill was passed into law.

During the past week there have been 204 vehicles inspected by the five inspection stations in Canyon. The exact number of vehicles left in the area to be inspected is not known at this time but it was believed that there were enough to create a last minute rush between now and Saturday.

Final days of the inspection have shown that cars and trucks requiring most work before being in condition to pass the inspection have been kept back until last. This results in a fewer number of vehicles being inspected.

A breakdown of the five inspection stations shows that the Stevenson Pontiac Company checked out 50 cars and trucks during the past week. McAtee-Warwick Garage inspected 29, West Texas Motor Co. checked 62, Imperial Chevrolet, 28, and Randall Motor Co., 35.

87 Pints Donated To Bloodmobile

A total of 87 pints of blood was donated Tuesday, August 26, for the American soldiers in Korea. The turn-out was reported as excellent because out of 118 pledges 87 people were accepted and 24 rejected. This meant that only seven of the 118 pledges could not be present to give blood.

Miss Bounds, the woman in charge of the Bloodmobile unit, said that considering the number of pledges received prior to the unit's coming to Canyon, the turn-out was excellent. She said the shrinkage and non-reporting pledges was usually much greater than was shown here. Average donations usually run about 115 per each 200 pledges.

It was also pointed out that the major portion of the blood donated would be in Korea within 70 hours from the time it was taken here. Attendants said the best blood was flown to Korea as whole blood. The remainder was to be processed into plasma and flown over later.

The blood was checked here and again at Fort Worth before it was sent to Korea. At Fort Worth the blood was checked for impurities at the North Texas Blood Center. Blood that is not sent to Korea as whole blood was processed into plasma by Armour and Company to be shipped later.

Vergie Haines Receives Coca Cola Award

Miss Vergie Ruth Haines, daughter of Mrs. Gladys Haines, has been awarded a \$100 J. D. Jefferson Coca Cola Scholarship awarded on the basis of scholarship and character.

Miss Haines is an honor graduate of Canyon High School and an ex-student of West Texas State. She received her A.B. degree from T. S. C. W. at Denton and will return there in a few days to complete required work for a master's degree in recreation administration.

306 Enrolled at CHS on First Day

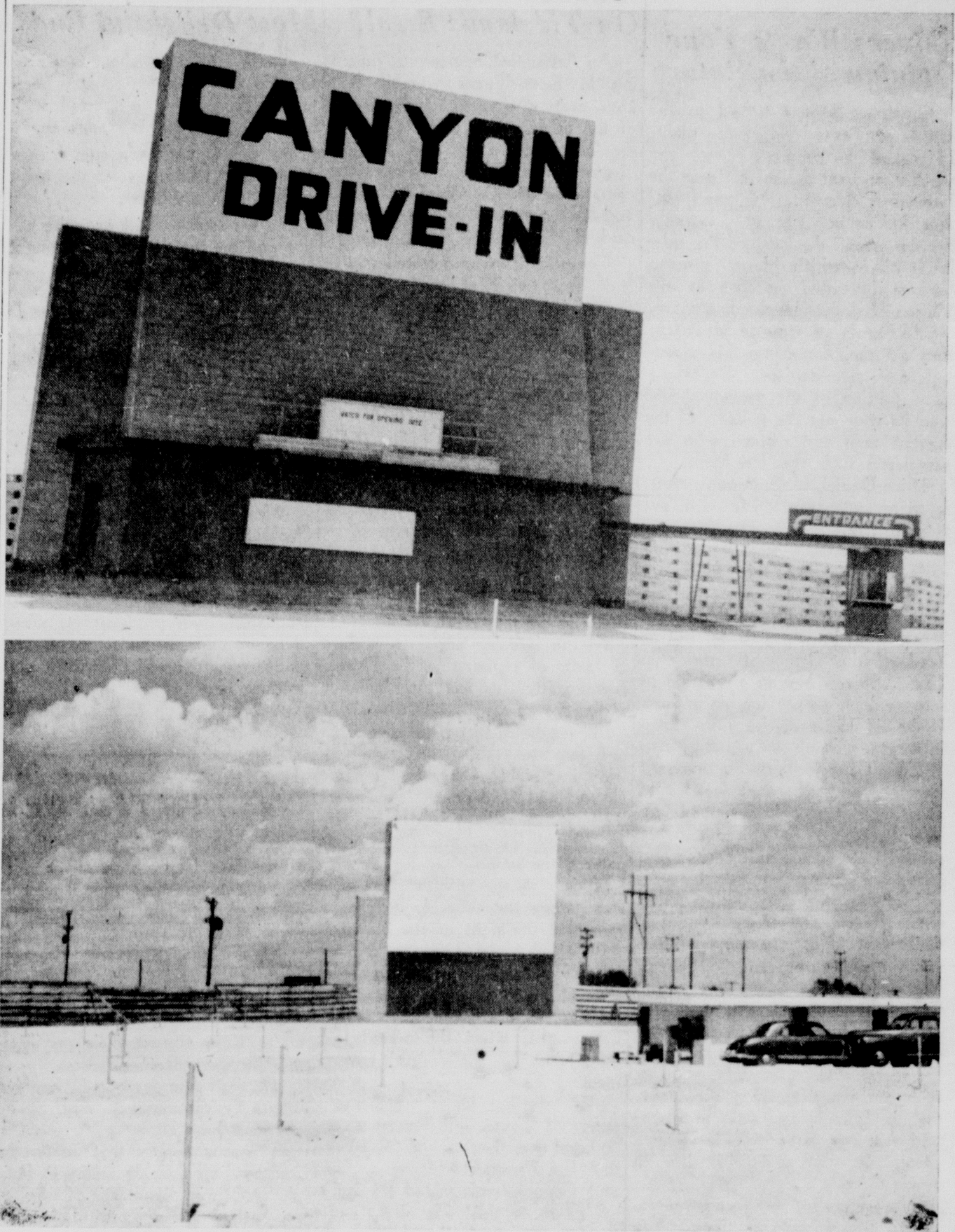
Canyon High School got underway Tuesday with a total of 306 students. This was reported as being two more students than was enrolled at the end of the first week last year. Statistics show an increase in every classification except the freshmen, their number being 84 which is below that of last year.

The sophomore ranks showed a total of 94 persons. The juniors had 70 enrollees while the seniors total 58.

DEN NO. 5 TO MEET MONDAY Unless otherwise notified, Den No. 5 will meet in the home of Mrs. John Robinson on Monday, Sept. 8.

See our fine supply of pot plants. Steven's Floral. 11

Canyon Drive In Theater Will Open Its Gates Soon



The upper photo shows the 50 foot tower and wings on either side of the Canyon Drive In Theater from the box office entrance. Lower photo shows the screen as the customer will view it. The cars in the lower right corner are parked at the concession stand.

"If the lost shipment of necessary parts arrive in time, the Canyon Drive In Theater will open some time this week," W. J. Wooten said Tuesday afternoon. All of the equipment arrived last Wednesday with the exception of four boxes that were lost in shipment. These were necessary parts vital to attaching junction boxes and speakers to the poles. In addition to the time lost through the misplaced packages, there was also the Sunday and Labor Day loss of time. It was hoped that the lost shipment would be found by Wednesday evening.

A trial run of projectors and sound was tried out Monday night. The quality of the sound and sharpness of the picture was said to equal that of any of the better drive in theaters in this area.

The policy of the theater will be determined by its patronage but its expected operation, to begin with, is a single feature policy. Pictures will start at the very earliest date possible and will begin at sundown. The shortest intermission possible has been arranged for the safety of cars leaving, those entering and for people going to the concession stand.

The concession stand will be serving hot dogs, juicy burgers, popcorn, snow cones and cold drinks. Other products will be added later to satisfy customer demands as operation continues. The equipment of the drive in is the newest and latest, all purchased from a Dallas firm and already installed, with the exception of the items which were lost.

There are two speakers at the concession stand for the convenience of people buying eats and drinks. There are also two speakers in the patio in front of the concession stand for those who desire to see the movie from a different spot by leaving their car.

The car speakers are 6 inch speakers which will give a better tone and quality of sound than most speakers in the area. These speakers also have an individual volume control for those desiring soft or loud tones.

All ramps are weather surfaced and designed for excellent vision from either front or rear seat. Actual picture size of the screen is 34 feet and six inches up and down and 45 feet and six inches wide. The entire screen is 50 feet high.

A basket weave fence was constructed about the theater to prevent interference by car lights approaching the movie. The entrance is on the northwest side of the tower and the exit is on the northeast side. When in operation the box office will open about an hour before sundown for those desiring to eat a bite or pick a favored parking place.

Admission will be 50 cents per person. Children under 12 accompanied by their parents will be admitted free. First run pictures with the exception of a few favored older ones will be run. The management hopes to keep the pictures that are popular with the entire family.

The theater will be open seven nights a week as long as business permits and as many months as weather permits. A recent restriction, only on theaters and places of amusement, prevents the theater from getting copper wire for heaters.

Those wishing to attend the the-

ater may go west on 4th Avenue, turning left and driving to Consumers Elevator across the railroad tracks and attend and leave the theater without getting mixed in the traffic on Highway 60. This road is all caliche with no danger of vehicles getting stuck in rainy weather.

Jarnagin Gives C-C Diploma to Glenn Waggoner

At their regular meeting in the City Hall Thursday night Clark Jarnagin, president of the local Chamber of Commerce, presented Manager Glenn Waggoner a diploma as the board of directors looked on. The diploma was from the Southwestern Chamber of Commerce Institute in Dallas. Glenn has satisfactorily completed the course of training offered by that institution.

The diploma and an accompanying letter were mailed to Clark Jarnagin. He read the letter and then passed it around for each of the board of directors to see.

In part the letter states, "This represents three years of intensive study and we are quite sure that he (Glenn Waggoner) will be proud to have this certificate hang in his office. We are mailing it to you, thinking that you would like to present it to him at your next Board meeting."

The school for Chamber of Commerce managers is conducted each summer. Before any of those attending the school receive a diploma they must satisfactorily complete three summers of work at the institute.

H. D. Club Women Return from Meet

Fifty-four members of Home Demonstration Clubs in District 1 returned Saturday evening from having attended the State Meet at Kingsville.

The delegation left Amarillo in two chartered buses Sunday morning. Monday they spent in sightseeing in San Antonio. Side trips from the convention city sponsored by the hosts were a tour of King Ranch, including a tour of the mansion and a barbecue in the evening, and a tour to Reynosa, Mexico.

Delegates attending from Canyon were Mesdames John Robinson, Emil Olson and John Jennings; local visitors attending were Mesdames Bill Money, Everett Hardaway and Earl Burtz.

Teachers: We do have the plants for your school room. Steven's Floral. 11

Roger D. Whealy Gets Ph.D. and Returns to W. T.

Roger D. Whealy, assistant professor of chemistry at West Texas State College, has completed requirements for the Ph.D. degree at the University of Colorado. Mr. Whealy's major field was chemistry, and his minor field was physics.

On leave of absence from WT last year to work toward his doctorate, Mr. Whealy has been a member of the faculty since 1947. Prior to his coming to WT, he taught for many years in El Paso, principally at Austin High School. During the war he was with a Special Engineer Detachment at Los Alamos, N. M., and while in the Army, he also taught physics at Carnegie Institute of Technology in Pittsburgh.

Mr. Whealy's doctoral dissertation is titled "A Spectrophotometric Study of the Color Changes of Cobalt-Chloride Solutions." His study was an investigation of the reasons for the varied colors of cobalt chloride under different conditions, and he developed compounds to prove colors were due to the existence of certain ions in solution.

Mr. and Mrs. Whealy and their daughter, Mary, 12, have returned to Canyon, and they live at 2405 Fifth Avenue. Mr. Whealy, who rejoins the WT faculty for the fall semester, is a member of Phi Lambda Upsilon, national honorary chemical fraternity, and the American Chemical Society.

Cold Wave Dropped Mercury 50 Degrees

The mercury stood at 100 degrees for the longest period in the history of the Plains this summer.

The weather man says that the hot wave has been broken, and that there will be no more hot weather, except at short intervals. The mercury dipped to 49 degrees above zero Monday night, marking the coolest weather of the fall period.

The drought still continues.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Charles Arthur Richmond to Marguerite Wimp, August 26. Clancy Sterling Cummings to Carolyn Faye Cayton, August 26. Clifford Eugene Dewitt to Julia Fay Crosby, August 9. Francis Edward Bassett to Betty Jane Caldwell, September 2.

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EDITORIAL COMMENTS

Shivers Wants Your Opinion of the Future

Governor Shivers talked to the people of Texas Wednesday night. He asked the people to write him what they wanted him to do in the November election. He has stated that he cannot support Governor Stevenson and the steal of the tidelands oil in which Harry Truman became interested because of the billions of dollars involved. Harry would like to see some of his henchmen get their hands on this money before his term expires. Perhaps a good portion of the money would find its way into the pockets of the corrupt men and women who are associated with the President.

Price Daniel, U. S. Senator-elect, is more outspoken. He will not vote for Stevenson.

While the time may be a little early for decisions of this proportion, we do not blame Governor Shivers for proceeding with caution. He knows what he wants to do, but as head of the Democratic party in Texas, Shivers has an obligation to seven million people for his actions. If he is to lead, he must have followers.

The Canyon News announced several weeks ago that we would await developments in this campaign. We knew too little about either candidate to go off half cocked and announce support for either.

However, we shall follow Governor Shivers and Price Daniel in their fight to uphold the traditions and the rights of Texas. It seems like such a silly thing to say that we cannot support a Republican candidate for president simply because our forebears voted the Democratic ticket straight, starting with our grandfather in Kentucky, then in Indiana and later in Iowa; and that our father was a staunch Democrat throughout his life in Iowa.

No, we cannot vote for Stevenson, under prevailing conditions. We are afraid that he is too close to Harry S. Truman; that he follows the flimsy excuse of the Supreme Court in the attempt to steal the tidelands oil land of Texas; that he has too little experience in the leadership of men.

We have written Governor Shivers that we are following his footsteps, and do not blame him for opposing the tidelands steal.

Good Work of Voters As They Go to Polls

Voters of Randall county are to be congratulated upon the large number of votes cast in the second primary.

With nearly 2900 votes cast, this is far under the total qualified voters who were armed with poll tax receipts. As a matter of record this is far below the 6,000 persons who paid a poll tax receipt this year. In view of the record of 4,000 of these 6,000 having lived in South Amarillo in January, many of whom have moved away since that time; and in view of the hard campaign which was put on in Amarillo to boost poll tax payments; and in view of the total vote of a few less than 3700 votes for the entire county in the first primary election; this record is splendid. As compared with the 1400 votes cast in Potter county during the second primary, the vote of Randall county was fantastic, nearly doubling that of our big neighbor to the north.

After all, numbers do not count in elections; it is the intelligence behind the votes which really count.

We are told that the primary system is a failure because it is becoming too expensive for a poor man to make the race. This is a serious indictment against the direct primary, and something that must be reckoned with by the lawmakers, who have done a lot toward running the expense of the primaries up during the present year.

Twenty-nine women are in field for seats in Congress.

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Winner of FIRST PLACE in the Texas Press Association contest for outstanding newspaper in Texas in 1950.

Winner of FIRST PLACE in the Panhandle Press Association contest for editors in 1952.

Winner of FIRST PLACE in the Texas Press Association contest for column writing in 1952; second in the State in General Excellency.

What Is Your Stand On Tidelands Steal?

An Arkansas Congressman speaking in East Texas warned that Democrats who voted for ownership of the tidelands oil to be vested in the adjoining states may become disgusted with Texas if we continue demanding that the Chief Executive and the Supreme Court be overriden.

Governor Stevenson stated at the end of a five hour conference on the subject with Governor Shivers that he would never oppose a decision of the Supreme Court. The press did not reveal whether the Governor thought that the decision was just or unjust.

United States Senator-elect Price Daniel comes out flat footed with the declaration that "I cannot and will not vote for him for President of the United States."

Governor Shivers has called upon the people of Texas to exert themselves and take a stand for Texas' rights in the matter of the tidelands oil. He is being urged to declare in favor of repudiating the Democratic party, headed by Governor Adlai Stevenson.

Throughout all of the discussion one important thing has probably been lost sight of by the Supreme Court and Governor Stevenson: That is, that these lands were reserved by Texas when this state entered the union.

It is a steal—nothing short of a steal when the federal government says that the right of the tidelands do not belong to Texas. We are not defending the right of other states to hold their oil, but so far as Texas is concerned, it is nothing but a steal when these lands are taken over by the federal government.

We do not know whether the voters of Texas will become so infuriated over the question to demand that the President, Supreme Court and Congress recognize the rights of Texas to tidelands oil to cause them to vote for a Republican. If the billions of dollars which the taxpayers of Texas will have to dig up during coming years to replace this money is not a sufficient cause for the voters to protect themselves against such a raid, then we shall simply have to face the music and state that our prejudices are more sacred than our money or the good for the children.

How will Texas answer?

The United States, it seems, is more willing to maintain a two-year draft law than European countries which are sure to be Stalin's first victims.

A lot of the community's dirty linen would never be paraded if it were not for the love of scandalous gossip by some waggy tongues.

To hear politicians talk, you'd think the fate of the world hung in the balance in their bid for election.

Hot Weather? But Most Delightful End

Those who were about ready to fold up and give this country back to the Indians, were greeted with a cool wave Thursday morning.

As this is written a cool breeze is blowing, which revives the spirit alike of men and beast.

As we look around over the nation and see the destruction wrought by the drouth and continued hot weather, we marvel that all citizens of America do not suddenly decide that the Panhandle is the garden spot of this fair land, and that they shall move here at once.

When the weather gets hot in the Panhandle; it is really hot.

When the cool breezes blow and showers fall, there is no place on earth so pleasant in which to live.

We were told upon arrival in the Panhandle 42 years ago not to expect too much at any time in this vast section called the Panhandle. As one pioneer said: "The Panhandle will produce less when it has promised the most of any place on earth; and likewise it will produce more when it promises less than any place on earth. But it is the greatest country on earth."

Margaret Swedes In War All of Their Own

It would seem that the children of the late FDR have caused the nation enough commotion and embarrassment to last for a long, long while.

Here comes Margaret Truman, who is the center of a dispute in Sweden because of the antics of secret service men, whom the Swedes claim have abused their privileges as American citizens.

Perhaps Margaret knew nothing about the occurrence. And again, she may have known a lot about it.

It is now reported that the Swedes had to show their neutrality to Russia and chose this means of displaying their wrath at secret service men who accompanied Margaret.

At any rate, no one was hurt; it was merely a passing show; so don't get excited and go out to shoot the first Swede you see. He probably knows no more about the episode than you know.

Eisenhower Is Poor Fighter in Politics

Is General Eisenhower a fighting candidate, or a passive campaigner for a lost cause? The General replies that it is too early to start fighting; that this will gradually develop.

When he first announced that he would come back to America from Europe to run for the job, he stated that he would make a fighting campaign.

Many of his friends and supporters are pretty disgusted with the manner in which his campaign is being run. There is no fight in

his efforts so far. He has shown himself to be a pretty poor campaigner, and is reported to have cut Dixie off his proposed schedule. Texas followers are not satisfied, and will try to get the General to change his schedule and spend at least two days in Texas.

We shall see what we shall see!

Roosevelt-Truman Slate for Candidate

Will Governor Stevenson accept the whole Roosevelt-Truman platform and run for the office of President on the record made by the two Democratic presidents?

Will he be tied to the apron strings of Harry Truman as he goes out to face the voters?

Harry says "yes"; that Adlai must sponsor the whole New Deal; Fair Deal; "Rotten" Deal of the Roosevelt-Truman administrations.

Governor Stevenson has successfully side-tracked the first announced plan of the President to make a fighting campaign from a whistle stop standpoint.

While Stevenson is comparatively new on the political horizon, let it be remembered that he has been for a long time connected with various governmental agencies, and probably has learned more than he is willing to disclose to Truman at this time.

Poor Eyes: Truman Finds to Mess Near

President Harry S. Truman spoke without a smile. "There is no mess in Washington," declared the chief executive. His bifocals reflect the fact that he has poor eyesight, and has not been looking for either corruption or a "mess."

It was not long ago that he declared that all of "our people" are honest and honorable.

It was not long ago that the President chided investigators for looking for "red herrings" in his administration.

Throughout all of the investigations, which have turned up so much of a mess in Washington, he has kicked over the traces and refused to furnish the investigators any kind of information within his official family.

It is no wonder that the people of America are sick and tired of Truman and his antics in public office and are looking for a change.

The new method of teaching spelling, which has now been discarded in some areas produced a lot of poor spellers.

The first presidential preference polls, giving Eisenhower an edge over Stevenson, are close enough to indicate a hot race this year.

We have never been able to figure out the attraction which draws some couples together.

Secretarial jobs go begging, personnel survey shows.

INSPECTION
STATION
STEVENSON

PONTIAC

GMC
TRUCKS

Faneuil Hall, in Boston, is known as the Cradle of American Liberty.

Indian Summer is known as St. Luke's Summer in England.

Puerto Rico means rich port.

New Fashions for Fall at Old Fashioned Prices!

VALUES!

Quality
SUITSCut to Your
Personality

Here's smart single-breasted fashion — in latest fabrics and colors. All sizes.

\$39.75



... And double-breasted models, too, tailored for the discriminating. Solids, chalk stripes, small checks. All sizes.

\$39.75

Alterations without charge. You may use our convenient budget plan. See this wonderful collection, today!

\$1 Dollar Day
SPECIALS

FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 5, 1952

FIRST QUALITY SHEETS 81x108 . . . 2.19

FIRST QUALITY PILLOW CASES 2 for 1.00

BOYS SCHOOL SHIRTS, Size 4 to 20, 1.98

GIRLS SCHOOL DRESSES, Size 7 to 14, 2.98

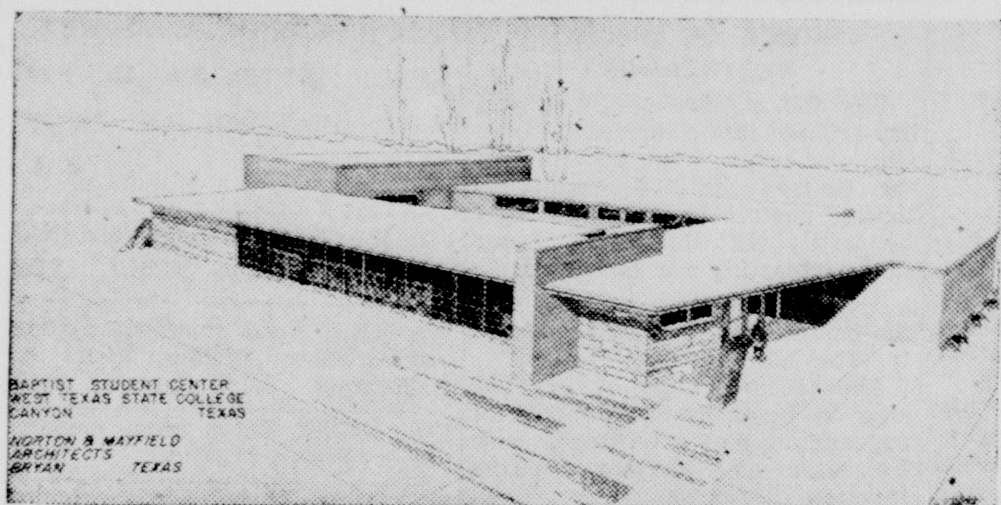
LADIES HOSE, Formerly 1.50 . . . 1.00

CHENILLE BEDSPREADS, All Colors 4.98

80 SQUARE PRINTS, Per Yard .39 cents

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Construction Date for New Baptist Student Center Slated for October

Rev. Howard Bramlette, director of student work at West Texas State College, has reported plans for a new Baptist Student Center to be located immediately across the street south of the campus. Plans and details were worked out last week when a committee was present for this particular job.

Rev. Bramlette reports that those present were: Dr. W. H. Howard, director of Baptist student activities for the Baptist General Convention of Texas, from Dallas; Mrs. W. F. Howard, director of Baptist student buildings in Texas, also of Dallas; and Henry Mayfield, the architect who is from Bryan. They were in Canyon Tuesday, August 26, for the purpose of setting a tentative date to begin construction of the new Baptist Student Center.

The date was set for October 15. Completion of the building will depend upon the flow of materials largely, it was announced. If the architect can obtain the needed

Plans Complete for New Baptist Student Center at West Texas State College

room, office and a patio. Extensive work is also to be done in early September on the present building which is being used as the Baptist Student Center.

Webb Observes 75th Birthday

G. W. Webb, 301 20th Street, celebrated his 75th birthday on Tuesday, August 26. Also present to help Mr. Webb celebrate were his daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Souther, of Sanford, Texas.

Mr. Webb smiled when he said, "Yes, sir, 75 years ago I discovered America. Of course Columbus beat me a little but my discovery has been every bit as exciting as his." The 75-year-old pioneer was born and raised in the hills of Tennessee. He came to this part of the country when it was still a wild, frontier land.

A host of friends sent greetings and presents, Mr. Webb said. He said presents were received from New York, Colorado, California, and New Mexico as well as from Amarillo and Lubbock and from friends in Canyon.

The day was a thoroughly enjoyable one. The immediate family was all that was present.

Mrs. Souther was formerly Carroll Webb. For 18 years she taught school in Amarillo. During the past two years she has not been teaching but Mr. Webb said she was going back to work as a teacher this fall.

SHOULD KNOW

Store Manager — What's your name?

Applicant — Scott.

Manager — And your first name?

Applicant — Walter.

Manager (smiling) — That's a pretty well-known name.

Applicant (proudly) — It ought to be. I've been delivering groceries around here for two years now.

Lincoln was assassinated during his second term as President.

French is the chief language of Haiti.

The moon is about four and one-half times the size of the U. S.

News In Canyon 25 Years Ago

(Taken from the files of The Canyon News of September 1, 1927)

The Ph.D. Degree was granted to R. P. Jarrett, dean of West Texas State College.

The county tax rate was set at \$1.20 on the \$100 valuation.

A derrick was erected on the Beckman place near Umbarger to drill a test well for oil.

Governor Dan Moody appointed R. B. Cousins, Jr., formerly of Canyon, as state insurance commissioner.

Mitchell Jones and Miss Audrey Watson were married.

Five Turkish Airmen Provide Lions Program

Five Turkish students from Amarillo Air Force Base supplied the program for the Lions Club luncheon Wednesday. The students were obtained for the program by Lion W. E. (Windy) Miller.

One of the Turkish airmen played an instrument which was said to be 6,000 years old. The instrument itself looked rather like an undersized mandolin with an extra long, slender neck on it and no hole in the shell-like case.

The Turkish student who played the instrument first played one number. Then he played and sang a number and then there was a Turkish war dance. This dance greatly resembled the war dances of the early American Indians. This selection was followed by the entire group singing.

A huge applause brought the group back and this time they did a version of the Turkish country dance. After the program ended the students, who had an interpreter along, tried out their English. One said he could speak English a little and made a sign to show that he could not read it. Another said that he could speak English slightly and that he liked Texas but didn't think much of the weather.

The Lions also had three heavy contributors to their convention fund. They were Clarence Eugene Thompson, Bud Hickman and Andy Walsh.

Three guests were entertained at Wednesday's luncheon. They were Charles Wright, R. B. Allen and Wayne Bagley.

IT COULD BE

A New Englander was enjoying the wonder of California as pointed out by a native.

"What beautiful grapefruit," exclaimed the easterner as they passed a citrus orchard.

"Grapefruit!" replied the native sneeringly, "why they are just small lemons."

Gazing at some huge sunflowers, the visitor asked, "And what are those enormous blossoms in that big field?"

"Just dandelions," the native replied disinterestedly.

A few minutes later they came to the Los Angeles river. "Ah," said the Yankee, "I see someone's radiator is leaking."

THIEVES GET \$71,000

Warren, Ohio. — Three armed men, masked with burlap sacks, forced the car of Charles Foley, banker, off the road and robbed him of about \$71,000 in cash, which Foley was taking from the Union Savings and Trust Company's main building to a branch bank, of which he is manager. A woman in the neighborhood saw the holdup and jotted down the license number of the bandit car as it sped away, leaving Foley behind, unharmed.

BOLTS KILL MAN

Seattle, Wash. — Alan Robert Grant, 19-year-old mountain climber, struck five times by lightning as he and a companion, Paul Brikoff, 20, stood atop Mount Stuart in the Cascades, lived to tell the story, while Brikoff was killed in the storm. Grant spent three days on the mountain, awaiting rescue. He suffered third-degree burns on his back and second-degree burns on his right leg and thigh.

DANGEROUS PLAY DRAWS FINE

Fitchburg, Mass. — Despite the pleas of park officials that they come down, Paul J. Fluet, 17, and two younger companions, jumped into a roller coaster car, as it neared the top of a rise and then leaped out before it plunged downward on the other side. Police said the trio repeated the stunt several times. Taken to court, Fluet was fined \$15 for "playing dangerously."

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Stafford, England. — A Staffordshire worker stared amazed at the cauldron of molten lead he was stirring — wads of money were rising through the bubbles. He managed to snatch 52 one-pound notes (\$146.60) from the seething metal. Evidently, the money had been hidden in a bag of lead scrap which had been sent to the smelter for re-use.

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GRIN BEGINS—Gen. Dwight Eisenhower, left, is caught by the camera as he breaks into his famous grin while talking to Sen. Ralph Flanders of Vermont. The Republican presidential candidate and the New England senator were discussing campaign plans at Ike's headquarters in Denver.

John T. Dallas, retired Episcopal Bishop: "Armies, ships, planes, skyscrapers, highways, schools, universities are made out of human beings."

John D. Louth, management consultant: "The West is still a marketing frontier."

Teachers: We do have the plants for your school room. Steven's Floral.

THE WOMAN OF IT
Banker — What can I do for you?

Mrs. Jones — I—ah—would like to get a little loan on the \$25 I paid down on my car.

President Truman's aides think they have found a way to keep John L. Lewis from causing them political embarrassment by calling a coal strike this autumn. The President is told that there are enough stocks of coal on hand to prevent an emergency from arising until after election. So the Taft-Hartley Act will not need to be used. It is supposed to be used only in emergencies.

Lowell E. Trowbridge, Boston University professor: "The reason girls in the United States are getting married younger and younger is that they are too lazy to go to work."

Democratic headquarters hopes soon to capitalize on Senator Nixon's recent comment that some Republican opposition to Democratic policies is based only on politics. Democrats will try to establish that the Republican vice-presidential candidate's statement reveals that the party has no real objections to Democratic policies.

The Army is facing a serious morale problem because of budget cuts by Congress. Those cuts virtually froze promotions of enlisted men, with the result that thousands of soldiers now are performing corporals' or even sergeants' jobs while still drawing privates' pay and holding privates' rank.

Joseph Stalin is causing Stevenson campaign advisers as much worry as General Eisenhower. They fear that, if Stalin makes a warlike move during the campaign, sentiment may swing behind the idea of having a general in the White House.

William Green is going to remain president of the American Federation of Labor as long as he lives. A group in the organization wanted to retire the 79-year-old leader this year, on the ground of failing health, but no other AFL official was willing to challenge Mr. Green.

Thirty-two men have served as President of the United States.

Pentagon generals, calculating war chances, have pushed up to 1955 their estimate of the "peak danger" period from Russia. That is the year they expect the Soviets to reach top military strength. Earlier calculations pegged 1954 as the year of peak danger.

Tsumichiyo Asato, legislator, Ryukyu Islands: "You cannot teach democracy at the point of the sword."

Walter J. Donnelly, new U. S. High Commissioner in West Germany: "Standing together and working together, we of the free world can assure our peoples of a future in peace and security."

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Followed Elephant Tracks

August 4, Thursday: The local game warden in this area told our boys that some natives complained that elephants were chasing their goats and ruining their gardens and would be glad to have some one show us where they were.

We left camp at 5:30 o'clock with these local natives as guides hunting elephant. Natives have been out in the bush for hours hunting tracks. They followed the tracks of one elephant going from us; but as he didn't stop to rest, they gave up the chase. Elephants walk slowly but the natives say you can't catch up with them unless they stop to rest. We stopped at an other turn in the trail. Our natives ran over and picked up more news of fresh tracks coming this way. Our trackers picked up the trail and came back for our men. Now we will wait again for more news. We are off the trail so have had only one visitor during this wait. He said he heard two shots. I hope it was our hunters bagging the elephant!

TALE, RED HOT, from the East African Pen.

The hunters were gone only three hours and came back bringing an elephant TAIL! I thought it was part of a porcupine. I couldn't believe that funny looking thing was a TAIL.

They had hit the tracks about one-half mile from the car and followed them about a mile with the trackers leading the way at a rather fast pace. They got on some cold tracks when a herd of sheep blotted out the tracks, so the trackers scattered until they found it again. (A bug had crawled across the track and that had caused a consultation.)

Ed's Account of the Hunt

The native trackers, who live in this area, spotted an elephant and ran back pointing, that was the last we saw of them for 30 minutes.



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The boys moved around in a wide circle and saw three elephants. Lunan told the others to stay back, that there were too many people and too many elephants; therefore somebody was likely to get hurt. Newton was armed with only a camera.

Lunan with a 475 and his trackers went closer to look the elephants over, picking out the biggest one or one with the best tusks. One older, larger bull had a 100 pound tusk, but only one, so Lunan chose the next best.

I, with a 300 Magnum, and Dave, with a 9 point 3, moved up for me to make the kill. I was shaking like a leaf and couldn't hold my sight on him but I fired, hitting him in the head and he slumped down. Lunan fired twice and he fell hard while all four feet flew up into the air. Thinking he was dead and not knowing what the other elephants would do, everybody ran back about 30 yards.

Going back in about five minutes, Lunan and Isaso, much to their surprise, found that he was gone. Newton said that he had seen all three of them go off together. When we next sighted them, the other two were helping the wounded one. He had his trunk wrapped around the flank of one while the other one was pushing him along.

Two of the trackers started tracking them. The rest of us hunted a tree to get a better view. The boys got on the wrong track and came back. Soon everyone was tracking until the boys started pointing.

The elephants had made a wide circle trying to get the hunters' wind. If they had been able to get this wind, Lunan said he was certain that they would have charged. Every elephant and hunt is different, one never knows what to expect.

Isasa, Lunan and Dave went up within range and both guides shot at the elephant without seeming to phase him.

In the meanwhile Newton and I hunted the largest tree we could find to climb. Newton handed me the gun and camera while he made it to the first limb. Then changing about, his taking the equipment then my taking it, we got higher. I was still on the lower limb (much too low for comfort) when I saw one of the elephants raise his big ears and look straight at me. I had the greatest desire to throw the movie camera to the ground and give Newton a push so I could get higher in that tree!

The elephant either changed his mind or hadn't really seen me. They went by us. Newton, by that time, was settled with my gun in hand and began banging away at the one covered with red dirt. He had lost no blood and that dirt was the only clue for the wounded one. Newton's first shot stopped him. Newton and the two guides pumped lead into that animal until he held 17 shots before he slumped down DEAD!

Vital Shot Kills

It's strange how an animal can build up resistance if you don't hit the vital spot the first time. I looked the elephant over when they took out the tusks and found there is only a very small spot where a bullet could penetrate his thick head. Ed had missed that

vital spot just a little bit. He felt rather worried, thinking some one would get hurt by the animal he had wounded. The elephant was not one of the largest ones, but large enough for us. He probably weighed six tons with tusks weighing 50 pounds each.

Elephants with good tusks have been killed in this part of the country. There are a good many cows and calves.

Elephants Are Destructive

The natives complain to the game wardens about the elephants eating up their few blades of corn or chasing their goats and the warden comes out and kills 15 or 20 animals. One warden brags about having killed a thousand, mostly during his term of office.

The three elephants in our story had been chasing our trackers' herd of goats and they were glad to have us run them off. The natives seem to be very fearful of them.

August 8, Friday: With the trackers in the lead we walked down the trail to the dead elephant the next morning, not knowing whether to expect a lion or the other two elephants near the carcass. The truck was driven as near as possible to save carrying the heavy load far, but it had trouble crossing a gully and had to be brought up later.

The tracker's easy gait was too fast for me. Newton agreed that it was also for him, but the kill wasn't far away. We soon came upon the carcass. Vultures and two little black boys flew away. A hyena had torn a hole and the vultures had started on his trunk, but no damage was done. It is a little bit difficult for anything to tear into that tough hide.

We took pictures and the black boys started cutting and chopping to get the tusks, which almost meet under the eyes and are nearly half buried in flesh, muscle and porous bone a foot thick over his eyes. They cut off his ears to save the thin skin. They used the heavy jack belonging with the safari truck to lift his head enough to cut off one ear. Now they had already chopped off the trunk, tusks and most of the head. We will have stools, table or waste baskets made from the feet. Each of us is wearing a bracelet made from one hair off the elephant's tail. Isasa made these for us.

August 9, Saturday: Set leopard and lion bait.

Herd of Camels

August 10, Sunday: No luck! However we did get another trophy. Newton shot a gerenuk, a long necked gazelle.

We met a native with a herd of camels. He had his entire possessions in a small pack on one camel. He was moving to better pastures.

I must mention the ant hills as they are as much a part of this area as the game.

One sees them anywhere and everywhere, any color, depending on the soil, or shape, which is somewhat influenced by age and erosion. Many of them are large dunes, six to ten feet high, of red clay, brownish, black lava ash or green with grass. If one of these mounds walks off, you know you are seeing a rhino. Some of the hills are made of many tall chimneys. Others are just one tall

shaft. The white ants which make them seem to be gone. We were not able to see any of them. The natives say the nest dies out when the queen dies.

Many Ants Seen

We did see a narrow inch wide ribbon or safari ants busily traveling along their trail. They were all sizes and so many of them were tumbling all over each other trying to go wherever they were going. We stopped on a high center right near their trail and in a minute they covered some of the black boys who were then doing some grabbing, shaking and picking of themselves for a while.

Many varieties of thorn bush have hollow bulbs about like a ping pong ball, growing all over them and these make wonderful homes for ants. At least they were hollow soon after the ants found them. The ants seem to do no damage.

My picture of this small area (probably 400 square miles) of Kenya in East Africa, might not coincide with the next person's point of view, but it will suffice as a wonderful moment of our month long safari in the bush. I couldn't begin to tell all that I have seen in this vast unfenced area of game and of the natives who sparsely populate its bush and plain.

I just wish that this could be kept as it is but I know that isn't possible for long. Civilization will usurp this much needed land and change the simple ways of these primitive people.

Every thing seems to be worked out according to plan in Africa. There is no waste: the vultures are always on hand; the jackals and hyenas watch the vultures and the ants get what bits are left after they have abandoned the carcass. There are many types of birds to take care of the insects. The law of balance seems perfectly adjusted. I'm glad we were privileged to see this wonderful country before it became spoiled by civilization.

August 15: I mailed the last installment of the safari yesterday from Nairobi but I believe I left the lion dangling. We stayed an extra day trying to get a lion or leopard but had no luck.

The leopard had been to the bait and true to his habits should have returned for more, but he didn't "show up." The baboons had made a terrible noise as if they were having a battle royal when the leopard left the bait that morning early and Lunan could think of no reason that he did not return unless it could have been that he was waiting until after dark for the baboons to retire.

No Lion or Leopard

We really had not thought about trying to get a lion until the last few days and I'm sure that we could have bagged one had we stayed another day or two. One lion had killed an eland and dragged it into the dense bush a few yards away and another one had whispered his usual grunting sound near the blind that last morning.

We drove after dark since we had waited over to see if the lion or leopard would come back and stopped at midnight to pitch camp. As we were slowing down, we saw a lion near the road. Lunan turned the spotlight on and there were two lionesses ambling along. The older didn't even give us a look. She was out hunting, but the younger one seemed uneasy. I felt a little uneasy about camping in this special spot but by the time we waited for the truck and had a few tents put up they had gone on, we hoped.

We surely wanted to take one of these lions but it's against the law to shoot anything at night.

However, we had to leave some unfinished business to have an excuse to return to this beautiful game country.

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Baltimore, Md. — Arthur Arick, Negro, was instantly killed when his sedan was crushed under a heavily-loaded tractor-trailer truck, which overturned on it at an intersection. Arick's sedan was pancaked and he was trapped between the top of the car and the steering wheel.

DRAFT POOL LOW

Maj. Gen. Lewis B. Hershey, Selective Service director, warns that the pool from which he draws manpower is running dry and, within a year, may be dryer than it was at any time during World War II. Draft calls will be bigger during the current fiscal year, when draft calls and enlistments will bring about 1,200,000 into the armed forces. "We're going to 3,700,000 next June," Hershey declared.

AN ILL WIND

Talmadge, Nebr. — An 100-mile-an-hour wind, which caused an estimated \$250,000 damage in this town recently, knocked out the power plant, and left food merchants without refrigeration. The town's children, however, were happy because the entire supply of ice cream went to them — free of charge.

GOLF DEFINED

We like this definition of golf—the game that turned the cows out of the pasture and let the bull in.

THE AMERICAN WAY



No Wonder Johnny's Puzzled

LESSON IN BASIC ENGLISH

A Navy lieutenant at a South Sea Island station undertook to give an old native a lesson in basic English. He pointed at a Marine and said "man." The native dutifully repeated, "Man." That gave the volunteer teacher a thrill. He went on and pointed to a palm tree. "Tree," he announced. The native echoed "tree." That certainly was progress. Just then a plane roared overhead. The lieutenant thought he'd give the native the first chance this time. "What," he asked, pointing upward. "I'm not sure," said the native, as he stood up and squinted at the plane overhead. "It looks like a PB2Y, but it might be a B-24."

TAKING ADVICE

Hoping to inspire his workers with promptness and energy, a Canadian business man hung a number of signs reading "DO IT NOW" around his factory and office. When he was asked some weeks later how his staff had reacted, he shook his head sadly. "I don't even like to talk about it," he said. "The head bookkeeper eloped with the best secretary I ever had; three typists asked for an increase; the factory hands decided to go on strike and the office boy joined the navy."

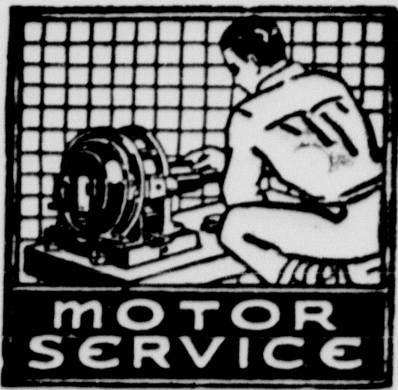
PATIENCE

A man had been waiting patiently in the post office but could not attract the attention of either girl behind the counter. "The evening cloak," explained one of the girls to her companion, "was a redingote design in gorgeous lama brocade with fox fur and wide pagoda sleeves." At this point the long-suffering customer broke in with: "I wonder if you could provide me with a neat purple stamp with a dinky perforated hem. The tout ensemble deliberately treated on the reverse side with maulage. Something at about 3 cents."

FAMILY SPENDING

The average American city family in 1950 spent about six per cent more than it earned and had to use savings or borrow "several hundred dollars" for living expenses, according to a new Bureau of Labor statistical survey. These figures were after taxes.

Shinwell says British defense burden exceeds capacity.
Martin Luther spent nine years translating the Bible.
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Bible Verse to Study

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2. To whom was he speaking?
3. Upon what occasion?
4. Where may this verse be found?

Bible Verse Answers

1. By Samuel, the Prophet.
2. To Saul, the first King of Israel.
3. Upon the occasion of the disobedience of Saul to the command of God that he utterly destroy the Amalekites and he took the King as prisoner and the people took spoils of the enemy.
4. I Samuel 15: 28.

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2. What was the last Olympic team-point-score announced by Radio Moscow?
3. Who won the recent International Open golf championship?
4. Did Ben Hogan enter that richest golfing event?
5. How did the Giants and Dodgers stand, in their private series, as of mid-August?

ANSWERS:

1. Rex Lane.
2. U. S. and Russia in an exact tie, at something over 500 points.
3. Julius Boros.
4. No.
5. Ten-five, Giants' favor.

SELDOM SHOOT FISH

Last year a pair of Alabama deer hunters were sorely disappointed to find that their favorite guide had deserted them to serve visiting fishermen instead. "What's the matter? Don't you like hunters?" one of them asked. "Like 'em first rate." "Do fishermen pay more?" "Nope." "Then what's the idea of taking up with them?" "Friend," the veteran woodsman replied. "I just got plumb tired of being shot at for a deer. So fur, ain't nobody mistook me for a fish."

JOB REPLACEMENTS

A record of 15,525,869 job placements were made during the last fiscal year by State employment services affiliated with the U. S. Employment Service, according to the Labor Department. Of the placements, 9,083,275 were in farm jobs, while 6,452,594 were in non-agricultural jobs. Total placements were 1,293,774 greater than for the previous year.

New Times, Soviet newspaper: "The Soviet way of life is such that it leaves no place for propaganda of enmity and hatred for peoples of other countries."

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10¢

JELLO

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Box

5¢

PEAS, Tiny Tot, 303 Size, 2 Cans

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46 OZ. DOLES

PINEAPPLE JUICE, Can . .

29¢

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EGG NOODLES, 1 lb. Bag . .

23¢

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lb.

69¢

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79¢

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C-C Has Problem About Citizenship

The local Chamber of Commerce received a bulletin last week from the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in Abilene concerning "Good Citizenship Week." The bulletin is in the form of an invitation in which this Chamber of Commerce is invited to participate as a co-sponsor of the program.

It states that the prime purpose of the program is to inform and explain to our citizenry some of the vital issues confronting us at this time. Such issues as inflation, debt position, stability of our currency, tidelands question, etc.

Such a program was unanimously endorsed on August 22 by individuals representing practically all of the organizations covering all segments of our business economy in West Texas. This group likewise pledged the support of their respective organizations in helping to make this week a success.

Efforts are now being exerted by the organization to secure speakers with established reputations to deal with the above subject matter. "We will be happy to arrange for the presence of a speaker if you would like to participate in the program," says the bulletin.

Good Citizenship Week has been designated as September 22-26 and the Chamber of Commerce is eager to know what the general public wants to do about the invitation. Those who believe it would be better to fall in line with the good citizenship program should drop a card to Glenn Waggoner at the Chamber of Commerce. Those who oppose the action should also write.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. W. H. Lewis over the week end were: Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. John Yearout and children, Mrs. L. M. Yearout, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Lewis and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Williams, Mrs. Eddie Brown and son, Alfred Lewis, all of Albuquerque, N. M.; Mrs. Edna Wallace of Edinborough, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Delaney and children of Borger.

Jimmy Cooper, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Cooper of Hereford, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. C. O. Cooper, and other relatives in Canyon.

Adlai E. Stevenson, Democratic nominee, posing for photographers: "These are the times one wishes God had endowed one with something better in the way of a face."

Wayside News

Rev. Charles J. Eastes of the Assembly of God Church in Amarillo filled the pulpit Sunday morning with a good message. His wife accompanied him and they were dinner guests in the W. R. Franklin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Carter and her mother, Mrs. Lizzie Knox, of Amarillo, spent the week end in the O. L. Akins and Bill Heisler homes.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGehee recently visited her only brother, Mark Wesley, in Clayton N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Payne and son of Slaton were week end guests in the parental E. J. Mahler homes. Billy Spann spent the week end in the J. R. Stockett home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hodges of Kermit spent one night last week in the home of her brother and family, the John R. Kennedys.

Mr. and Mrs. George Denny and Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Moore of Canyon had a week's vacation trip to Red River, N. M. Mrs. Fronie Denny of Panhandle spent the week with her grandchildren, Mary Kate and Mike, while their parents were away.

Mrs. Oren Fisher and girls of Canyon visited last Thursday in the Charles Kennedy home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Newsom announce the arrival of a baby girl. Mrs. Wyatt Heisler attended the State Home Demonstration meeting in Kingsville and reports a nice time.

Wayside school opened Monday morning with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Franklin as teachers. Twenty-one children enrolled. Mrs. Charles Kennedy has charge of the lunch room.

Mrs. H. T. Duke and children, and Grandmother Duke were Amarillo callers last Friday.

The Chas. Kennedy family was shopping in Amarillo last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Franklin were Amarillo callers Tuesday.

Gen. Dwight Eisenhower is running into the same trouble in managing his campaign that confronted the late Wendell Willkie in 1940. The General's problem is one of reconciling the amateurs who have attached themselves to his staff and the professional politicians who want to direct major strategy. At the moment, some professionals feel that they are being shunted aside.

Bernard Baruch, retired industrialist: "To allow the rearming of western Europe and at the same time begin negotiations over Germany is to put not one foot but both feet into a Soviet trap."

Cleavingers Have Fine Trip to St. Louis

Last week Dutch Cleavinger, Mrs. Cleavinger and their daughter, Nancy, returned from St. Louis, Mo., after spending a ten day vacation there. Mr. Cleavinger said they saw seven big league baseball games and the St. Louis Cardinals did more losing than winning.

Although Cleavinger reported only a little rain was encountered on the trip, he said it was cool and pleasant all the way there and back. He went on to add that he enjoyed the trip thoroughly and that while in St. Louis he visited with the Yearlys. Cleavinger and Yearly taught school together at Panhandle several years ago.

Dutch said they visited the zoo and fun house during their vacation. He described the St. Louis zoo as having three excellent free shows a day. One he said was performed by the cat species of the zoo, the tigers, lions and leopards. Another was put on by the elephants while the third was put on by the monkeys. The shows were mostly for the kiddies, Cleavinger said, but he added that many adults were present.

The family enjoyed another recreational part of the visit when they went to the fun house, the penny arcades and the amusement parks. The family left Canyon Thursday, August 21, and returned Saturday, August 30.

Secretary of Commerce Charles Sawyer's soothing comments on the price outlook cloak a serious dispute inside the Administration. Acting Defense Mobilizer John R. Steelman and Economic Stabilizer Roger Putnam want to use what controls they have to the fullest extent. The Commerce Secretary fears that such actions might touch off another wave of panic buying.

He who does not know a fool when he sees one is himself a fool. —Baltasar Gracian.

Avoid Facial Wrinkles With Foot-ease Exercises

BY EDNA MILES

YOUR feet are your surest method of getting from one place to another. All day long, they take you shopping, walking, move you quickly about on your household duties, then sometimes take you dancing in the evening. In return, you should give them the utmost consideration and care.

When your feet hurt or ache, your face quickly reflects the pain. To a dancer like Allyn McLerie, now appearing in the Broadway musical, "Desert Song," tired lines and sagging facial muscles would be disastrous. Here, then, are her expert tips on keeping in good shape by exercise.

To strengthen her arches, she likes to spread a towel on the floor, sprinkle it with marbles and then attempt to pick up the marbles with her toes. Practice makes perfect and you'll get better as you go along. You will also acquire stronger arches, the better to support you, as you acquire skill at the game.

A second important exercise from Allyn McLerie's beauty notebook is good for toes, arches and for toning up leg muscles as well. To do it, alternately stand on your tiptoes on two piled up telephone books, then slide back on your heels. Do this for 20 counts each day.

When you take your nightly bath, brush your feet briskly. That's an aid to circulation. Massage your feet with oil or cream several times a week. You'll find a mentholated cream is soothing to aching feet.

Be sure that your stockings fit properly and that they allow enough room for your toes to wiggle easily. It's preventive care such as this that will keep away severe foot aches and pains that women frequently develop in their middle years.

Graceful actress-dancer Allyn McLerie demonstrates her favor- → ite arch-strengthening exercise. Scattering marbles on a towel, then retrieving them with her toes tones up foot muscles, makes them ache-free and comfortable even after her many dance routines in Broadway musicals.



Men's Bowling League Organized

At a meeting in the Canyon Bowling Alley Friday, August 29, the Men's Bowling League was organized. The league is to be held every Thursday night, commencing September 11, and run for 21 weeks.

Officers elected to run the league are Winston Evans, president; Wayne Davis, vice-president; Frances Davis, secretary; Max Bosley, treasurer; and Merle Dickerson, recorder.

All men who are interested in bowling, and who wish to partici-

pate in the league this year, are requested to be at the bowling alley on the 11th as some of the teams have not been filled out.

The province of Kashmir is creating new worries for the Government of India. Radio Moscow suddenly has switched its support to the local government of Sheikh Mohammed Abdullah, hitherto believed to be safely anti-Communist and pro-India. Now the fear is that Kashmir, claimed by India and Pakistan, might be grabbed by Communists and lost to both countries.

The model T Ford was superseded by the Model A in 1927.

Fairview Breezes

It is still hot and dry in our vicinity.

Our revival closed Sunday evening. Brother Lantrop delivered some excellent sermons. You who missed these services missed a treat.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shipman and children, Nan Eayle and Jean, Mr. and Mrs. Rayford Shipman and children, Jannis and Emil Ross, attended the Shipman reunion over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers and Joyce attended the Miller reunion at Brownwood over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Wilson are staying in the Frank Rogers home while they are away.

Visitors in the Richard Evans home Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wesley, Vesta Amerson, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Schaefer.

The Home Demonstration Club will meet at the Community Center Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

We had 14 colored people to participate in the program Thursday evening. Their program was very enjoyable.

Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Wesley and boys attended a rodeo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Morgan and Ronnie of Palo Alto, Calif., visited relatives in this vicinity last week. They returned to their home Monday.

Vesta Amerson and Mrs. J. W. Wesley were in Amarillo shopping Saturday.

Mrs. Serena Bryan is at home now.

Charles Sutton had a narrow escape when he was caught between his pick-up and trailer and mashed until he was unconscious when found.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Wilson and Brother Earl Lantrop were Sunday guests in the G. E. Wesley home.

Chou En-lai, Communist China's Premier and Foreign Minister in Moscow.

Brother Winsteads Died in Siloam, Ark.

Claude Winstead, brother of J. M. Winstead of Canyon and P. V. Winstead of Siloam, Ark., died recently in the family home of a heart attack. He was 76 years of age.

Archibald S. Alexander, Democratic nominee for U. S. Senate from New Jersey: "We are far safer today because the free nations of the world, under American leadership, have pooled their strength."

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ROTC Officers Here For Opening of W.T.



Examining books in West Texas State College's new library, which might supplement ROTC course work, are three new staff members of WT's unit, which begins operation this fall. Lt. Col. Raymond H. Lumry, center, will be professor of military science and tactics and commanding officer. At left is Major Charles W. Allen, Jr., assistant professor, and at right is M. Sgt. Clyde A. Thomas, Potter County man, who will be an instructor.

WTSC Gets More Men to Help With ROTC Training Program

Preparations for the opening of West Texas State College's new Reserve Officers' Training Corps unit when the fall semester begins September 15 were stepped up today with the arrival on the campus of the unit's commanding officer and professor of military science and tactics, an additional officer, and a non-commissioned officer.

Lt. Col. Raymond H. Lumry, just returned from a year's tour with the Joint American Mission for Military Aid to Turkey, has set up headquarters routines and has begun outlining plans for instituting the Army's new "Branch General" ROTC unit at WT. Major Charles W. Allen, Jr., is WT's new assistant professor of military science and tactics, and M. Sgt. Clyde A. Thomas, native West Texan, has joined the instructional staff.

The ROTC staff is now complete, with the exception of two non-commissioned officers, expected here before classes begin. The full complement will include three officers and five non-commissioned officers, although a sixth man may be assigned to the unit at a later date. M. Sgt. J. D. Foster, unit supply sergeant, was the first arrival, later joined by Capt. George W. Rehn, assistant professor of military science and tactics, and M. Sgt. Curtis L. Brown, sergeant major.

Col. Lumry, who entered the Army over 14 years ago through the ROTC at Louisiana State University, has high praise for the new Branch General training, and particularly the "Distinguished Military Graduate" plan, whereby a regular Army commission may be earned.

"This new program is modeled directly upon the West Point plan," Col. Lumry said. "At the Academy, officers are given a general training and are later assigned to, or select a branch for which they are best suited. Branch General ROTC will operate on a similar basis, making it the most flexible of all ROTC plans."

The attractiveness of the "Distinguished Military Graduate" plan, through which the Army will secure 1200 new officers next year, was pointed out by Col. Lumry, who obtained his regular commission through competitive examinations, in which less than 100 were selected throughout the nation. Superior ROTC students are designated "Distinguished Military Students" and "Distinguished Military Graduates," under the present plan, and are awarded regular Army commissions rather than commissions in the reserves or national guard.

Col. Lumry, who counts his home DeRidder, La., is a graduate of the Command and General Staff College, Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas. He served with the 11th Armored Division in Europe during the war, and has seen duty at Ft. Bragg, N. C., Ft. Benning, Ga., Ft. Jackson, S. C., Ft. Sill, Okla., and the Desert Training Center, Camp Cook, Calif. He was on detached duty with the Navy during the war at the Amphibious Training Command, Coronado, Calif. Col. Lumry, his wife and their one-year-old son live at 2108 ninth Avenue in Canyon.

Major Allen, graduate of the University of Oklahoma Law School, whose home is Guthrie, Okla., entered the service as a private in 1942, serving until 1946, when he became Logan County Attorney in Oklahoma and practiced law. He was recalled to active duty in 1948. After graduating from Officer's Candidate School, Ft. Benning, Ga., Major Allen was an instructor at the infantry school and then at Camp Hood, Texas. He was on detached service with the Sixth Army in the Philippines before going to Japan in 1945 to serve with the G2 section of the First Army Corps.

He rejoined the First Corps and the same G2 section upon recall in 1948, and when the corps was inactivated in Japan in 1950, he

the Eighth Army. He became assistant chief of staff of G2 of the Japan Logistical Command in March 1951.

Major Allen was originally assigned to the ROTC unit at Oklahoma A&M, and attended summer camp at Ft. Benning. He, his wife, and their two daughters, Sue, 9, and Sally, 4, live at 1903 Sixth Avenue.

Son of Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas of Hedley, Sgt. Thomas was reared east of Amarillo. He has spent over 14 years in the Army, and came to West Texas State from Alaska, where he served at Nome, Fairbanks, and Anchorage. Sgt. Thomas entered the Army three years before the war, and served with the 120th Infantry, 30th Division in Europe, seeing action in the Battle of the Bulge. He was with a group which met the Russians on the Elbe River, west of Berlin.

Sgt. Thomas returned to the United States in 1945 and spent four years as a national guard instructor in California before going to Alaska. Sgt. and Mrs. Thomas, and their four-year-old daughter live at 106 14th Street.

Joann Cooley Is Feted With Miscellaneous Shower on August 25

Joann Cooley, bride-elect of Earl Reynolds, was honored Monday afternoon, August 25, with a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Hosea Foster. Co-hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames Frank Kimbrough, Berl Mayfield, Charles Joyner, Jack Foster, A. H. Douglas, C. O. Elkins, George Hand, V. K. McCaskill, W. S. Parker, and E. W. Glenn.

Receiving the guests were Mrs. Edd Reynolds, mother of the bridegroom-to-be, Mrs. V. K. McCaskill, and the honoree.

Appropriate musical numbers were played by Mrs. Houston Bright throughout the receiving hours.

Miss Lucy Mae Yarnell secured the names of 50 guests for the guest book.

Carrying out the bride's colors an unusual centerpiece of maroon fan on a gray base decorated with maroon bows and carnations formed the centerpiece of the beautifully appointed refreshment table from which Mrs. H. W. Hartman and Mrs. Leonard Britt served delicious refreshments.

Marguerite Wimp Is Honored With Kitchen Shower

Marguerite Wimp, bride-elect of Charles Richmond, was honored at a kitchen shower Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. W. E. Parker. Members of the Ladies' Guild of All Saints' Episcopal Church were hostesses.

Miscellaneous small kitchen equipment in an umbrella showered out to surprise the honoree and set the shower theme.

Refreshments of broiled peaches, sandwiches, nuts and coffee were served to 15 guests.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lowry on Friday morning were their daughter, Mrs. Glen Phillips, their granddaughter, Mrs. Orville Howard, and their great grandson, Wade Howard, of Logan, Oklahoma.

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Rev. A. B. Haynes Celebrates 50th Year as Pastor



REV. A. B. HAYNES

An event of special interest to Canyon people was the recent celebration at Ingram, Texas, of the

Golden Anniversary of the ordination of A. B. Haynes as a Presbyterian minister. Rev. Haynes has served the Canyon Presbyterian church twice as pastor and twice as supply.

It was at Shiloh Church in Ellis County, near the place of his birth, that Dr. Haynes was ordained in late August, 1902. He came to his first regular pastorate at Canyon in 1904, at that time conducting services at the local church two or three Sundays each month and preaching at Union Hill in Swisher County and at Silverton in Briscoe County, the other two Sundays.

At the anniversary program congratulations of the Canyon church came through C. R. Burrow; he and Mrs. Burrow, and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Thompson, John Knight and Mrs. E. D. Harrell being among the present members who were in the church in 1904. A. B. Haynes, Jr., spoke of "Being a Son of the Manse," and little Miss Elizabeth Haynes sang a solo. Mrs. T. V. Reeves was the principal speaker on the program, which was held in the Ingram Church which was organized under the leadership of Dr. and Mrs. Haynes and received its charter this spring.

Besides his ministry at Canyon, Dr. Haynes had served churches at McLean, White Deer, Miami, Tulia, and Littlefield in northwest Texas, at Hastings, Oklahoma, and he was for 17 years pastor of the Woodland Presbyterian Church in Houston. He was retired in 1946, but

Ticklers

By George



"He allows himself one luxury—an occasional spiked drink."

he has continued to preach almost as regularly as before, and he is now in the pulpit of the church at Ingram each Sunday.

Canyon people who attended the celebration included Miss Mae Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Haynes, Jr., and Elizabeth, and Mrs. Reeves. Present also were representatives of the Houston and Littlefield churches. Captain Charles Crotty of Houston and Ingram presided and special music was furnished by two members of the Woodland church choir.

During the week end many friends called at "Haynes Hollow" on the beautiful Guadalupe River to congratulate Dr. and Mrs. Haynes.

Bufs Start Season Monday Morning

Buffalo Stadium and the dressing room got a preview of the 1952 football season Saturday afternoon when the boys suited out for pictures. Coach Frank Kimbrough, Hatcher Brown, and Borden Price were on deck to hand out the necessary equipment and give instructions for opening day of training which was Monday.

Those who were returning after one, two or three years with the Bufs, greeted each other in a manner which made summer vacation definitely a thing of the past. Newcomers acted shy at first and then started getting acquainted with the others who would be their daily companions for months and perhaps years to come.

A "school days" attitude prevailed in the dressing room as the 45 Bufs for the 1952 season suited out for the first fall training of the year. The boys threw a few passes, got limbered up and got their pictures taken then went back to the shower room. Gort Rushmer of the West Texas State photography department was on hand to get individual pictures of this year's Buffalo squad.

District Meeting Of Farm Bureau At Dumas, Sept. 9th

County Farm Bureau leaders from this area will gather in Dumas on Tuesday, September 9, for a sub-district meeting. This is one of 24 such sessions being conducted throughout the state by the Texas Farm Bureau Federation. It has been announced by J. Walter Hammond of Tye, Texas, president of the organization. In attendance will be Marvin Carter, Federation organization director, and O. R. Long, Field Representative, American Farm Bureau Federation. Stanley Garnett of Spearman, state director for this district, will preside. The all-day meeting will be held in the Sneed Hotel at Dumas beginning at 10:00 a. m.

The sub-district meetings have been planned to discuss four major things, Hammond said. (1) State and National issues pertaining to

WHO KNOWS

1. Who is the Commandant of the Communist POW camp on Kojima Island, Korea?
2. In what year did World War I begin?
3. When was Idaho admitted to the Union?
4. James Hilton's "Lost Horizons" was laid in what country?
5. If a Senator dies in office, how is the vacancy filled?
6. In what country did the Aztec Indians live?
7. Who founded Columbia University in New York City?
8. Which came first, writing or drawing?
9. Where is the Wailing Wall?
10. When was Florida formally ceded to the United States and by whom?

(See The Answers on Page 6.)

agriculture; (2) to have expression from local leaders; (3) how to raise money to finance state government; (4) plans for enrolling 75,000 members in 1952.

Small Plane Owners Want Recognition

Some of the local flying enthusiasts in small towns all over the United States are somewhat perturbed about the attitude taken by the people in these towns concerning flying. Recently Luke Miller, one of Canyon's small plane flyers, passed on some information concerning this attitude in other small towns.

An airport for a small town can be a lifeline to the outside world when all other means fail. This was proven recently when an earthquake hit a small California town. Roads were impassable and this meant that necessities to the town's population was solely up to the small aircraft. Fortunately the town had an airport.

These men who own their own planes and fly them think that they have something worth supporting. According to some of the articles that have been written about these small airports, the general feeling is that they should be encouraged by city, county and state officials.

Small plane owners in many places have pointed out the excellent job they did during the war. They maintain that these light aircraft are definitely an asset to any community.

Senator Joseph McCarthy, of Wisconsin, is causing more embarrassment to his own party than to his Democratic opponents. Republicans are split on the "McCarthy issue," which is no cause for dispute at all among Democrats.

During excavations in Italy three statues were found 20 feet below the surface. We must admit that it seems a splendid idea.

Fear Will Not Aid in Fight Against Cancer

Fear of cancer cannot help its victim and unreasonable fear should be replaced by intelligent action concerning this disease, is the opinion of Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

The doctor said in a statement this week that cancer can usually be cured in its earlier stages. This has been demonstrated by the fact that many persons have been treated successfully by surgery, radium, or x-ray and are living now, many years after a definite diagnosis of early cancer was made. Many people postpone diagnosis when they suspect cancer either because they dread to hear the truth or because they believe that cure is impossible.

"In the treatment of cancer, time is the most important factor," Dr. Cox said. "To produce satisfactory results, treatment must begin early in the course of the disease while the cancer is still confined to a small area. Persons suspecting cancer should consult their physician as soon as they notice an unexplainable lump, unusual discharge, a persistent sore on any part of the body, or any change in the appearance of a mole or wart. It is often disastrous to wait for pain since this is a late symptom that usually doesn't occur until the malignant growth has made considerable advance."

The value of early diagnosis cannot be stressed too strongly according to Dr. Cox and that is one reason why regular periodic examinations are recommended particularly for those of middle or old age.

RETURN FROM VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Lowry returned Thursday after having visited several points in Texas. In Baytown they attended the wedding of a friend. In Needville they visited a niece, Mrs. J. K. Davis, and family; in Valasco with a nephew and wife; in Clairette with Mr. Lowry's sister and her husband.

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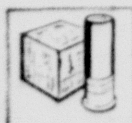


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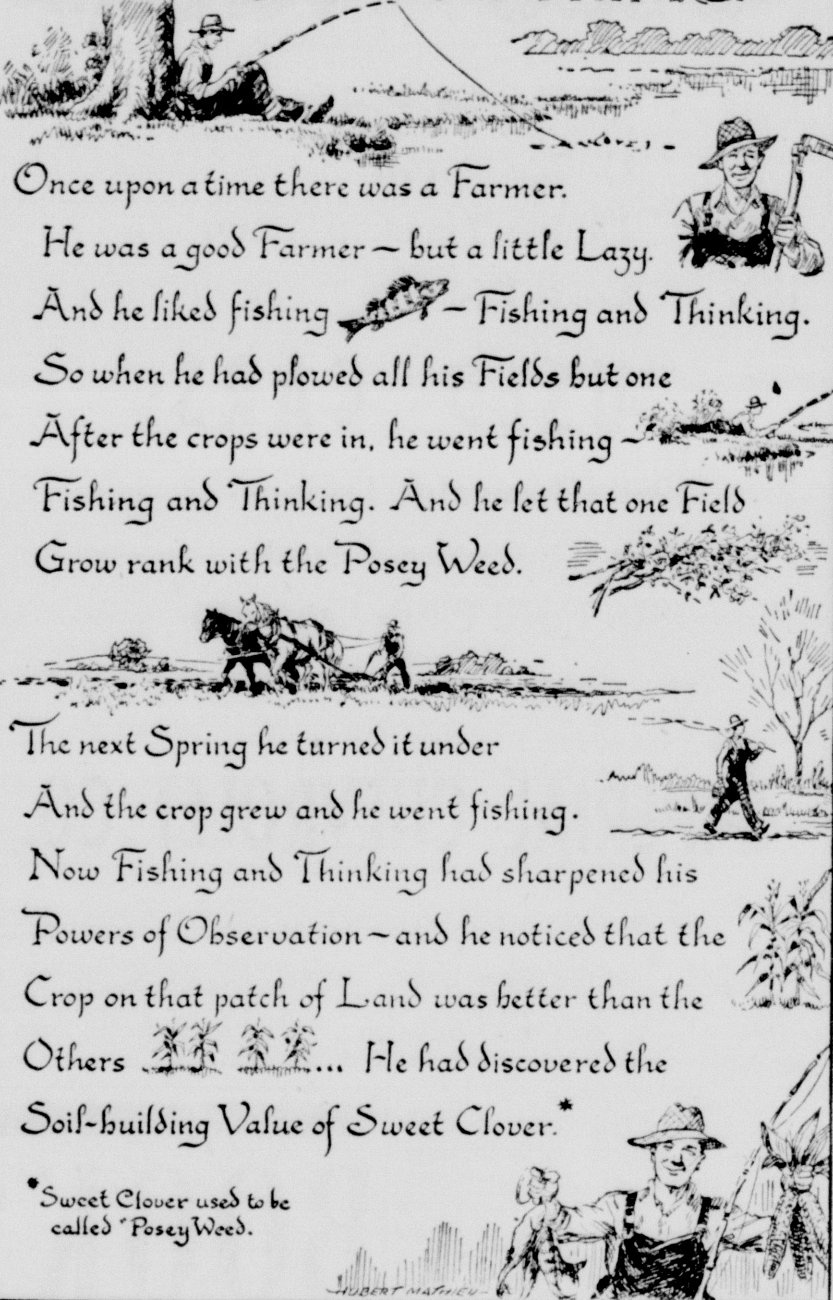
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JUST FISHIN' AND THINKIN'



Once upon a time there was a Farmer.
He was a good Farmer—but a little Lazy.
And he liked fishing—Fishing and Thinking.
So when he had plowed all his Fields but one
After the crops were in, he went fishing—
Fishing and Thinking. And he let that one Field
Grow rank with the Posey Weed.
The next Spring he turned it under
And the crop grew and he went fishing.
Now Fishing and Thinking had sharpened his
Powers of Observation—and he noticed that the
Crop on that patch of Land was better than the
Others.... He had discovered the
Soil-building Value of Sweet Clover.*

*Sweet Clover used to be called "Posey Weed."

U. S. WDE BLOOD DRIVE

The Office of Defense Mobilization has announced an intensive drive for blood donations from throughout the country is getting underway. Cooperation will be sought from the press, radio, television, labor unions, and business groups. The American Red Cross has been named official collecting agency. The blood is needed for men wounded in Korea and for plasma to be stored for use in any atomic attack.

A troglodyte is a cave dweller.

LUCKY MAN

"Angus, they tell me you and Brother Donald were in a railway accident. Did you collect any damages?"

"We did. But never a shilling wud we have, had I no thocht to kick Donald in the face!"

THE ONLY ONE

Chinese Commies won't admit that the only germ warfare in Korea is their own Red Plague.

Japan to sign pact soon for loan of 68 U. S. warships.

Just Between You, Me and ... the Gatepost

(By Lawrence Hunnicutt)

Fire Chief Bill Sternberg said last week that he was losing a good man in the retirement of K. E. (Liege) Frieze. Mr. Frieze has been a member of the department more than 30 years. He was looked up to as one of the best in the business. That type of service is a wonderful thing and it's only accomplished by wonderful people.

Although there haven't been many fires recently the Canyon Fire Department is to be congratulated for its preparedness. Back in the spring and early summer when a few fires were occurring the boys were really on their toes as fire fighters. They're keeping up with the latest trends in fire fighting too. A couple of the men recently returned from the fire fighters school which was held at College Station.

Some familiar faces were seen around town last week that had been gone for several months. Among these were Wendell Cain, Tony Brown and Emmitt Smith. All of these men have been away doing work on their Doctor's degrees. Wendell Cain and Tony Brown will be returning to school in a couple of weeks.

Frank Stallings was in The News office last Thursday afternoon too. Frank is with the armed forces and upon completing his furlough will be ordered to Germany.

Other activities are also pointing to the fact that summer is just about over. Coach Frank Kimbrough starts this week getting his Buffaloes in shape for another season of football. Their practice started Monday.

Floyd Murry had tentative plans for his high school Eagles but was not certain as to whether or not those plans would be permanent for the entire season. The point is that we're entering another glorious autumn which is to be packed with football and holiday thrills.

Our autumn Dollar Days will be ushered in Friday and the chances are that a lot of wonderful values will be offered by the various businesses. Speaking of Dollar Day brings to mind our good friend, Silas Hart. We're still trying to make up for a sour note we hit concerning one of his Dollar Days. It looks as though we're going to buy that gentleman a cup of coffee one of these days.

We also owe a cup of coffee to Chamber of Commerce President Clark Jarnagin. Of course we can't give a plug in the column but Clark sells some kind of white liquid in bottles and makes his deliveries early in the morning.

We lost a good man last week when Cliff Mlinar was transferred to Amarillo. We were also fortunate in having a good man to take Cliff's place in Chamber of Commerce work. This man is Dr. Ples Harper, professor of modern languages and head of that department at West Texas State. Chamber of Commerce officials already had an eye on Dr. Harper to begin work with them about January 1. Cliff's going to Amarillo just put Dr. Harper to work a few months earlier.

Boy, what a pleasant surprise it was last week to learn that the Canyon Drive-In Theater would be open about the end of this week. Of course our earlier prediction was shot but this was one time it was extremely pleasant to be proven wrong. Charlie Donnell was surprised too. He said some of the equipment he expected to receive about the middle of September came in last week.

The spice of life is wit and even though you may find this only half-way up to par it's still that necessary evil. Yes, it's that Chirps of Wisdom Department again.

A cynic said that some women are like poorly made photographs, under-developed and over-exposed.

One cannibal said to another: "Who was that lady I saw you with at the picnic?"

"That was no lady," replied the other cannibal, "that was my lunch."

The taxi driver pulled over to the curb and said, "Did someone tell me to stop?"

"Aw, go on," said the man, "she wasn't talking to you."

Engagement Is Announced Here



TYSENE COX

Mrs. Gailen Cox of Canyon is announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter Tysene, to Pat Stephenson, minister of the Church of Christ at Kerrville, and son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Stephenson of Jackson, Tenn. The wedding service will be read in Canyon in September.

STATES' DEFICIT SPENDING

Annual deficits which have marked operations of the Federal Government for most of the last twenty years have now spread to state governments, which represent an "augury of dangerous fiscal instability," according to a study issued by the Tax Foundation, a privately owned profit research from \$5,110,000,000 in 1940 to \$3,900,000,000, in 1951.

PAY CHECKS

Americans made more money on a national average in 1951 than ever before. Earnings averaged \$1,584 for every man, woman and child in the nation, according to the Commerce Department. Income payments to individuals rose from \$218,000,000,000 in 1950 to \$243,000,000,000 in 1951, 220 per cent above the 1940 figure.

SURE SIGN

Regardless of your age, you're getting along in years when it takes you longer to rest than it does to get tired.

New Life Insurance Added by Stevenson

Last week T. S. Stevenson and George Blackwell added a new line of general life insurance to their other services. It is the John Hancock General Life Insurance. A policy that has stood the test of time for more than 90 years.

The greatest satisfaction in life is to do a job well. Mr. Stevenson and Mr. Blackwell have this satisfaction.

Today their services in insurance and financing is under the general management of George L. Blackwell. Your insurance needs can be taken care of by either Mr. Blackwell or Mr. Stevenson. People who have been here since the early 30s will recall Stevenson's opening in Canyon. It was January 1, 1934, that he started in the real estate and automobile loan business. He also operated the DeSoto-Plymouth Agency for a number of years, starting in 1935. Then in 1938 he added general insurance to his other services.

Last week the firm took another step up the ladder of progress. This step through the 90-year-old John Hancock General Life Insurance policy. For your insurance needs remember the Stevenson Agency under the management of George L. Blackwell. Adv.

U. S. PRODUCTION

The United States produced at the rate of \$343,000,000,000 a year in April, May and June, a one-percent increase over the previous three months, according to the Commerce Department. The second-quarter rate combined with the \$339,500,000,000 rate for the gross national product in the first three months, made total production more than twelve per cent higher than the half-year preceding the Korean War. Gross national product is the fair market value of goods and services produced.

A 6,500-acre site in Ohio selected by Atomic Energy Commission for new \$1,200,000,000 plant to produce Uranium 235.

Spanish press says U. S. aid talks may be broken off.

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Frieze Retires After 30 Years Fire Department



K. E. FRIEZE

After more than 30 years in the Canyon volunteer Fire Department, Kenneth Eligh Frieze is retiring. Before any of the firemen are eligible to retire they must have reached the age of 55 and must have served in the department for a period of 25 years. Mr. Frieze became 55 years of age on August 19th of this year.

Frieze began serving with the fire department on January 11, 1922. His 25 years with the department were up on January 11, 1947, but at that time he had not reached his 55th birthday. He remained with the department for the next five years.

The fireman's retirement papers were being prepared at the City Hall last week. They were being sent to Mayor A. L. Walsh for his signature. When the Mayor affixes his signature to the papers, Mr. Frieze will be officially retired from the fire department. This will also carry the retirement benefits offered by the department to those who have fulfilled duties in the organization for a period of 25 years and remained there until they reached the age of 55.

Only a few things are needed to make a wise man happy, but nothing can satisfy a fool. —L. Rochefoucauld.

Automobile makers plan big changes in 1953.



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Not many people know it, but Uncle Sam buys millions of dollars' worth of stainless steel teeth. Don't get upset. They're not the chewing kind. They're the jet plane kind.

You see, stainless steel teeth are blades that fit inside the engine walls of jet planes. The blades help to drive air into the firing chambers. There are more than 1,000 of these teeth in each engine, and up to a little while ago each one had to be forged—a slow, fussy, expensive method.

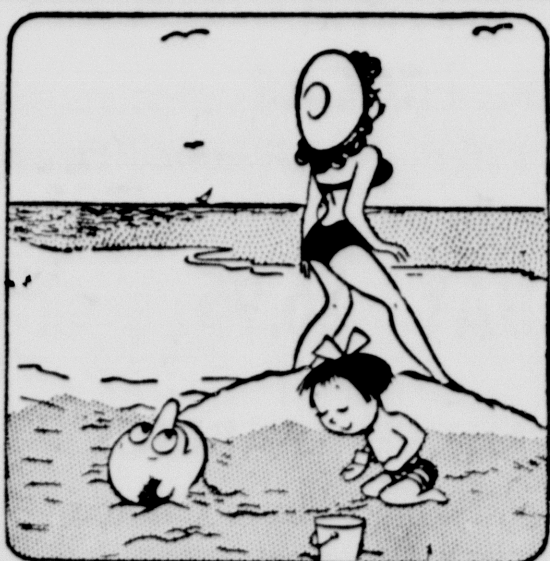
The problem was dumped in the lap of G-E specialists, and they solved it.

The result is that today we roll a continuous strip of stainless steel, cut the teeth to length, and weld them to a base. Works fine. The cash saving: 55%. Critical material saving: 39%.

There's an extra reason to be happy about this, since all of us taxpayers have to foot the bills. Millions of dollars will be saved by the military services in future blade production. And the how-to-do-it is being shared through the U.S. Air Force with other jet engine builders.

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Thompsons Are Pioneer Business Firm

(By Mrs. Clyde W. Warwick)

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Thompson, pioneer business people whose lives influenced the destiny of this community, came to Canyon in 1899, 54 years ago. They came here from a ranch 18 miles west of Plainview. Both are native Texans. Mrs. Thompson was born in Johnson county near Mansfield. She moved with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Leonard, her little sister, Lillie, and her brother, Will, from Johnson County to Swisher County, 18 miles southwest of Tuliung on a ranch.

Mr. Thompson was born in Williams County near Georgetown. His parents had come from Copenhagen, Denmark, to Louisiana and from there to Lexington, Texas. From Lexington in 1890 they, with their eleven children, 5 boys and 6 girls, moved to the Panhandle.

Couple First Met

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson first met while attending school one summer at Running Water. They were married in Swisher County 57 years ago. Mr. Thompson says he was 20 minutes late for the wedding. It was six degrees below zero and he took the short cut, but when he came to a creek, he could not get across and had to go back to the bridge. This made him late for his wedding.

Gave Last Dime

They lived on a ranch after they were first married and at one time found themselves with only a dime. This was ALL the money they had. They kept this dime for several months; then one Sunday on their way to church decided that dime wasn't doing them any good so they gave it to the church. This act is indicative of the Thompsons' whole lives. Freely they have always given to others.

When they came to Canyon, their son, Clarence, was two years old. Two other children were born in Canyon. Ora, Mrs. Allan Farlow, and Lillian, who died when she was almost 21 years old of infantile paralysis which had crippled her and made her an invalid for 19 years. Ora and Clarence both live in Canyon. Clarence has been the manager of Thompson Hardware Company for about 12 years.

First Business Here

When the Thompsons arrived in Canyon, Mr. Thompson started business in a variety store on 5th Avenue near the present location of the West Texas Gas Company office. After two years he sold this store and went into a hardware business which had been started by W. O. Oldham. Two years later, Mr. Oldham sold this business to Dr. Howell and Mr. Thompson continued working for Dr. Howell.

Later the Canyon Mercantile Company bought out Dr. Howell and soon after that Mr. Thompson became manager and began buying stock until today the Thompsons own all of the business which has grown under the able management of Mr. Thompson; Mrs. T. C. Thompson; their son, Clarence; their daughter, Ora; Mrs. C. L. Thompson; and their grandson, Clarence Eugene, from the small hardware store to the present large firm which occupies a 150x140 two-story building on the east side of the square with warehouses in the rear across the alley and handles

in addition to hardware, china, crystal, household appliances, furniture and gifts.

Work in Furniture

As soon as she could find time from her home duties, Mrs. T. C. Thompson entered actively into their business, taking charge of the furniture department and continued working until four years ago when illness forced her to retire. Today she devotes her spare time between her great-grandchildren and her flowers. She has a large and unusual collection of African violets, some of which she has raised from seed.

In the early days it was necessary to set up, service and start the farm implements the hardware store sold to the farmers. Mr. Thompson purchased a bicycle and would ride this bicycle to the country to service the machinery.

Rode Bicycle

One day he rode his bicycle to Wayside, set up, serviced and started a row bander and rode home that night carrying his bag of tools on his handle bars. This, he says, is the farthest he ever rode the bicycle in one day.

He also rode to and from his home and business and many local boys rode with him on the handle bars.

Jeff Wallace remembers many rides he had when a boy with Mr. Thompson. He continued riding this bicycle until January 1, 1908, when he purchased the first automobile owned by anyone in Canyon.

Owned First Car

This car was a "Silent Northern," with a two cylinder motor which Mr. Thompson says under favorable conditions could reach a speed of 25 miles an hour. This must be true because in a special edition of the weekly paper which was published by R. A. Terrill on June 25, 1908, the sheriff published the following notice:

"Notice to Automobilists" "The law requires lights on all automobiles at night. The speed limit is eight miles per hour. Better observe these requirements and avoid trouble." R. H. Sanford, Sheriff.

Mr. Thompson says his car had lights but no spare tire. It had to be cranked; did not have a top or front doors. There were doors for the back seat. When he had a flat tire, and he had plenty, he took off the tire and patched it with patching material, which everyone who drove a car carried, put it back on.

Early Church Services

When the Thompsons came here all the churches were holding joint services in the court house. Soon the Baptists built a church, the



T. C. THOMPSON . . . seated at the desk in his private office at the Thompson Hardware Company, which was established in 1908.

Methodists followed in about two years. The Presbyterians, with all other faiths who were unable to build their own churches, continued to hold union Sunday School in the court house and Mr. Thompson was made superintendent of this Sunday School.

When the Presbyterians built their first church, these people of other faiths moved with them and continued worshipping with them until they in turn were able to build their own churches. Mr. Thompson continued as Sunday School superintendent of this union service for about 15 years.

He had been elected an elder of the church in Running Water before he was married and was elected elder of the church here soon after he joined. The Thompsons have been members of the local Presbyterian church longer than any other members of the church.

First Presbyterian Church

The First Presbyterian Church was built by Mrs. Thompson's brother, Max Leonard, a contractor and carpenter. Later when the present brick church was built at 1315 Fifth Avenue Judge L. S. Kerr bought the old church, moved it to 2701 Fourth Avenue, remodeled it into a residence for his family and today his stepson, Bryan McDonald, and his family live in it.

There were, at this time of the Thompsons' arrival, three saloons in town: the T-Anchor, which was down the street east from where the Gas Company has its office now; the Charley Collins, on the north side of Fourth Avenue; and the Dod McCamitt, where the Pyramid Sales Company is now located at 1520 Fifth Avenue.

Early Business Houses

There was a Chinese laundry run by a Chinaman named John. Smith-Walker had a dry goods and grocery store where O. A. May Implement Company is now, although not in the same building. R. B. Redfern had a dry goods and grocery store just north of Smith-Walker. S. V. Wirt had a drug store and handled paint and window glass on the north side of the square about where The Canyon News office is now. There was a King Fruit Stand in a room about 12x16 where Thompson's Hardware Company now stands which handled candy, apples and oranges.

Oscar Hunt, who was later the postmaster, was the first undertaker and carried a line of caskets. All graves were dug by friends.

Two Doctors in Canyon

There were two doctors in town, Dr. Hedrick and Dr. Patton. Dr. Black lived here but was not practicing at this time. There was a traveling dentist but no regular dentist until Dr. S. L. Ingham established his office in 1906. These doctors rode on horse-back to see all their patients. There were no trained nurses. Neighbors and friends helped the families care for their sick, even baby cases.

There was a newspaper called "The Stayer" edited by Mrs. R. W. Morgan. The paper was printed on a "George Washington" hand press. This press, still in good condition, was given to the Panhandle-Plains Museum in 1925 by The Canyon News.

Early Wagon Yards

As Canyon became the freighting place for all the ranches and towns as far south as Lubbock after the railroad reached Canyon, several wagon yards thrived. One owned by Bill Kenyon covered about a block and a half on the block where Griggs-Warren Funeral Home now stands.

These yards were built in the shape of a square with stalls for the teams. The stalls had shed roofs but were open to the yard. The drivers could sleep in their wagons or could use rooms over the office. These rooms had bunk beds and the men had to furnish their own bed rolls.

The men camped in the yard while loading their wagons. Water for them and their teams was furnished free, but they were charged for coal for their campfires and feed for their teams. Many of the freighters drove six and eight teams of mules. Two men could handle a team of eight mules and these mules hauled several wagons hitched one behind the other.

Eight Mule Teams

The XIT Ranch did most of its

freighting from Canyon and always drove eight mule teams.

All who stayed in the wagon yards were charged 50 cents a night for themselves and 10 cents for each horse or mule. Most of them drove mules because of their greater endurance.

Mail hacks carried the mail and also passengers on regular daily trips from Lubbock through Tuliung to Canyon and on to Amarillo. These hacks were drawn by Spanish mules and they were driven on the lops. The drivers changed teams at Tuliung and at the Ballard home which was a stopping place between Tuliung and Canyon. After the railroad reached Canyon the mail to Amarillo was left at Canyon to be carried into Amarillo by train and the mail from Amarillo south was picked up here.

Large Shipping Point

After the railroad was built cattlemen drove their cattle here for shipping. There were large stock pens along the railroad on what is now a fine residential section just west from Highway 87 running past the college. Many a night town folks were kept awake by the loud bawling of these cattle and the shouting of cowboys as they herded cattle all night.

The present college campus was known as "Prairie Dog Town" because there were so many prairie dogs on it. When the stock pens were full, the cowboys would herd their cattle on this land until they could load them on the trains.

Homes West of Square

The wagon yards and stock pens were the only buildings east of the square. All of the residences were west of the square. The Thompsons built their first home, a stripped box house 14x28, at 1810 Seventh Avenue. Later they moved this house to the west part of town two blocks west of the school house, added to it and lived there until they built their present home at 1808 Fourth Avenue.

There were not many houses in Canyon and there was no water system. Nearly everyone had his own well, some had windmills; some had tanks; and some carried water from a neighbor's well. These wells were all shallow wells and the water was not soft and pure as is the present water which is drawn from deep wells.

Bucket Brigade

A bucket brigade was the fire department. They had only water buckets and home made ladders. Mr. Thompson was a member of this bucket brigade. When a house caught fire, the firemen would climb on top of it, chop holes in the roof and pass the water buckets along the line and up the ladder from the well. Most of the time people did not have a tank or if they had one it was soon emptied and then the men would have to take turns pumping water.

Later the town bought a two-wheeled cart with water hose rolled on it and they would push this by hand to the fire but Mr. Thompson said until they had city water they could not use this hose as there was seldom water enough in the small individual tanks to make pressure enough to fight the fire.

Three firms had built board sidewalks in front of their places of business and these were the only sidewalks in town. None of the stores had delivery service.

The Town Grows

The first telephones which were installed were very unsatisfactory. They used smooth wire in town, but in the country they used the top barbed wire of the fences. They ran the lines from town to town in this manner. Mr. Thompson says he often talked to Tuliung and Plainview over these wires. Thompson Hardware had the 30th phone in town and was given the number 13. Thompson's residence had the 19th phone and was given the number 19. Both have kept these numbers to the present time.

At first everyone burned coal oil lamps. Later an electric light plant was built, but it only ran from dark until 11 o'clock. Then the time was extended until 12 o'clock, but everyone had to keep his coal oil lamp for use after the electric lights went out at night.

Hotel Victoria

No sewer system served the town. Every house had a path to the alley and the Victoria Hotel, a two-story building located where

the post office now stands, had a two-story building on the alley with a bridge leading from the second story to the upper floor of the hotel. This hotel, which was named Victoria for Mrs. L. G. Conner, wife of the founder of Canyon, burned in 1908.

The school house was a two-story frame building on the lot where the present grade school building stands. This building was built by J. T. Service. Mr. Thompson served on the school board for 12 years.

Charter Member Rotary

Mr. Thompson was one of the charter members of the Rotary Club and today is an honorary member. He has been president of that club and has loyally supported the organization in every way since its beginning.

He was president of the Chamber of Commerce for six years and in 1939 the Chamber of Commerce presented him with a bronze plaque in appreciation of his unselfish devotion and untiring service to that work.

Served on Highway Board

When a permanent road was to be built to Amarillo, Mr. Thompson was one of a committee of three to view and locate this road. They viewed the road having in mind the shortest distance with the least grading and without heavy topping. Mr. Thompson has been a member of the Masonic Lodge longer than any other member of the Canyon lodge.

Thoughtful of Others

Through the long years of their daughter Lillian's illness and suffering they learned a deep and understanding sympathy with all who suffer illness and grief. Daily Mr. Thompson visits the Neblett Hospital to give a word of cheer, a friendly smile, a firm handclasp of love, sympathy, helpfulness and courage to all.

They have learned that happiness does not come from more comfort but rather from the capacity to feel deeply, to enjoy simply, to think freely, to risk fearlessly, to be needed.

In the 54 years they have lived here they have wholeheartedly supported every movement for the advancement and improvement of this community. God gave to them strong minds, great hearts, true faith and ready hands. They have unhesitatingly used these gifts for the good of all.

Typical Pioneers

Water and fuel are the first essentials of the pioneer. The land must be fertile. It must be a place where a home can be established, children educated. But to those who follow the pioneer the most essential thing is the character of the people who founded a new country.

Canyon is fortunate in the type

Used Trucks

- 1951 — Chevrolet Pick-up, ½ ton
- 1950 — Dodge ½ ton
- 1946 — Dodge Truck, 1½ ton
- 1937 — Ford 1 ton

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- 2 — 1950 Chevrolet Tudors
- 1 — 1948 Chevrolet 4 door
- 1 — 1946 Ford Club Coupe

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of people who laid the foundations of this community. Though not the first to come, none were more dependable, honest, kindhearted than the Thompsons.

They have given fully of their time, ability and strength to shaping the course of this town and surrounding country. They are wholesome people, quick to share the joy and sorrow of all. Stout-hearted, courageous, with a firm belief in a just God, they have spent their lives that we who follow after them might have a freer, fuller, happier life. Loved and respected by all today they reap the bountiful harvest of their labors.

Erect, slightly graying, their joy in their children, their four grandchildren and their three great grandchildren together with their love and faith in the people of this community has kept alive their keen joy of living.

Asked what they considered the best year of their lives they unhesitatingly replied, "This year!" There is a humorous twinkle in their eyes, a heartiness in their laughter that proves to all "Life can be beautiful!" Browning had such as they in mind when he wrote:

"Grow old along with me
The best is yet to be—
The last of life
For which the first was made."

Daniel H. Bates, police chief Upton, Mass.: "Too many parents are relying on police to keep their kids straight."

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Walter Rogers**

Some Facts About Texas

More than 1,248,000 Texas families own their own homes today. (Percentage-wise this is about 55.5 per cent).

The total personal income in Texas in 1950 reached \$9,868,000,000.

In 1950, 2,840,000 people in Texas had jobs. This is 97% of the total labor force.

The 1951 figures reflect that 207,100 businesses were in operation in Texas. The manufacturing establishments figure reached 7,128 in 1947, the latest year for which these figures are available. 25,000 new businesses started in Texas in 1951.

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Texas added \$2,268,663,000 in value to raw materials in 1950.

Bank deposits, private, time and demand, totaled in 1951, \$6,106,089,000. On a per capita basis this amounts to \$792.00.

Cattle production in 1951 was 2,153,335,000 pounds.

Farm products marketed in 1951 brought Texas farmers \$2,151,930,000 in cash.

Sixty-nine percent of the farmers in Texas own their own homes.

Many more statistics could be given, but these will serve to indicate the great progress Texas is making on several fronts. As I have told you before, the manufacturing districts of the East and Middle West look with suspicion on the Southwest.

The above statistics indicate that the people living in the old and established manufacturing centers of this country have reason to be alarmed about the possibility of losing some of their manufacturing establishments. Actually they should not be alarmed because they would undoubtedly enjoy living in Texas among our fine people and in our excellent climate. The truth is Texas has just commenced. The future holds much for us and our people.

Prisoners of War in Korea

Reports are that the Red Chinese and North Koreans have been most uncooperative with the Red Cross and other agencies concerning information about prisoners of war.

The information that they give out is very little and in most cases very vague and unsatisfactory. They are apparently making little effort to deliver mail to the prisoners of war and less effort to afford the prisoners of war opportunity to write their home folks. This of course is not surprising, as they and their backers (the Soviet Union) have always insisted that the rules of war apply to all nations except their own. Humanitarian principles are to them merely vehicles for propaganda purposes and not for actual application.

What We May Expect On Inflation and Deflation

I have never been able to gaze into a crystal ball and foretell the future. However, the consensus of opinion here seems to be that we have about reached the pinnacle of inflation and that there will be a gradual deflationary trend during the next two-year period; that this trend will not be so sharp as to cause undue hardships to any of the people.

This opinion has been based on the economy and not on politics. It is thought that this trend will be inevitable regardless of who serves as President.

Frankly, I do not know whether to believe it or not. I thought that when cattle reached 18 cents, they were bound to be at the top; also when \$3500 houses started selling for \$10,000, it was my opinion that they must go down. However, as all of you know, cattle, hogs and everything else has continued to climb.

I personally cannot see how they can go any higher for the simple reason that the people do not have the money to purchase most of these commodities at their present prices. Some deflation is an absolute necessity in order to keep these commodities moving and the money in circulation.

People just can not buy as they do not have the money or the source of money through which they can pay. It is true that more credit can be provided, but such a course would prove detrimental in the end, rather than beneficial.

Much work has been done in Congress to stop false controls and false credit and to permit the economy to level off and stabilize itself. Such a course will no doubt be criticized and condemned by many, but it must come sooner or later. As a child I was taught that distasteful situations had to be met head-on and that delay in facing them merely increased their distastefulness. Most of you can remember the days of castor oil.

THE AMERICAN WAY

Obvious Correction

Gives History Of T-Anchor Housing Project

Last week we gave information concerning the requirements for eligibility, rent paid, and type of structure in the T-Anchor Homes. This week we shall give some history of the project.

This project was built by the Public Housing Administration, pursuant to the provisions of the Public Housing Act of 1949, upon application for houses and proof of need by local interested citizens. Legal steps necessary to establish the project in Canyon consisted in the appointment by the City Commission of Canyon of a board of commissioners, called the Housing Authority of the City of Canyon, consisting of five members. After this body was appointed and organized, it entered into an agreement with the City Commission concerning the construction and operation of the project.

Present commissioners are Ted Reid, chairman; W. J. Wooten, vice chairman; Clarence Thompson, Virgil Henson and Ray Campbell. These directors appoint an executive director to manage the project and otherwise direct and control the operation of the local authority.

After construction and approval, bonds were issued by the local housing authority payable over a period of 40 years. These bonds, bearing 2 1/2% interest, were sold and the proceeds used to reimburse the government for the cost of construction. Cost of the local project including land, utilities, lawns, paving, etc., amounted to approximately \$161,000. These bonds will be retired serially, partly by the income of the project and partly by annual contributions from the federal government.

Since the rent is lower than that necessary to both operate the project and retire the indebtedness, this annual contribution from the government will be necessary over the life of the outstanding indebtedness.

This contribution is in the nature of a subsidy, or relief payment since the purpose of the law is to provide decent living conditions for those unable to provide such for themselves, to clear out slum areas in which crime and disease abound and, thus, to improve the general welfare of the citizenship.

Canyon's slums, which were cleared, were 16 family units of the veterans' barracks at the college. They were inspected and classed as unsuitable for decent living. These were moved and renovated and reconstructed. Upon retirement of the bonded indebtedness of this project, title to the land and buildings will revert to the City of Canyon, whose governing body may use, sell or otherwise make disposition of the project.

Dear Priscilla:

There is finally a "Fally" feeling in the air in the early morning and evening — School about to open — George working long hours selling gasoline (he has the Gulf Station on the corner from P. D. D. S.) — mother busy making a Special Order for a "Tennis Ball" hat (John Fredericks red) — and me, writing you now bragging on P.D.-D.S.

A good friend of ours bought our "Baby" — our Customized Red Bandana and Organdy — 3 piece outfit, and took it along when she went to Sun Valley on her vacation. Of course you know it is a REAL H. D. B. F. place and simply bulging with H. D. B. F. people. Mrs. Porterfield of Tulsa, one of the most attractive women at the lodge said she would love one exactly like it, when she saw Blanche in it. She told Mrs. Porterfield she had bought it at Palo Duro Dress Shop in Canyon, Texas. Well, it turned out that Mrs. Porterfield is the sister of one of our prominent Canyon citizens.

So you see, dear, I may never get to Sun Valley — or any of those glamorous places — but my clothes do.

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P. S. Tell Nancy — Sweaters and more sweaters — Skirts and more skirts — and the right petticoat under them. Adv.

Adlai Stevenson has decided on a bold campaign, speaking out on every issue that he touches, regardless of the toes he steps on. He already has risked alienating some Southern States on the tide-lands-oil issue and the veterans' vote by opposing "special interest" legislation.

British scientists believe they have developed a small, easily transported atomic bomb. They have known all along how to make a standard bomb, but their atomic test off Northwest Australia will determine whether they have managed to control the size of the explosion.

Local Company Grows With City

Ed Williams announced last week that he had been associated with Imperial Chevrolet Company since 1926. During this quarter-of-a-century he has seen cars develop from sluggish machines of the early days to the powerful, sleekness of today's models.

Today the Imperial Chevrolet puts a heavy accent on the sale of Chevrolet cars and trucks as well as necessary repair service on cars and trucks of all makes and models. The company has grown up with the town. The personnel that make up the organization are both pleasant and efficient in the performance of their duties. In addition to its other services, the company is also an approved inspection station.

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Coaxial Cable Has Increased Phone Service to Plains

The coming of the coaxial cable to the Panhandle has greatly increased telephone facilities, and has opened the way for television to this section.

A. O. Thomas of Amarillo was in charge of the Rotary Club program and introduced W. R. McKinney, who is an expert on long distance operations.

The coaxial cable was completed between Oklahoma City and Amarillo this week and was tested out Monday. The completion of this cable had increased telephone lines to 600 circuits between the two cities, together with two TV circuits.

At the present time there are eight circuits between Amarillo and Canyon, which will be increased to 17 early in 1953.

McKinney explained the technical side of the cable, and showed by pictures the construction of the fabulous improvement in telephone lines.

"We shall pay for the installation of this cable through the savings in losses from storms, and the lack of interrupted service," stated McKinney, who explained that the cable was 30 inches underground.

Dr. Dudley Moore held a quiz on a prominent Rotarian, who turned out to be Frank Kimbrough. Bob Lindsey of Borger won a necktie for the correct answer and several clues were given. Bob donated \$25 to the Rotary Club.

A red "crying" towel was awarded Kimbrough, together with an assortment of pills to be used during the coming football season.

Visitors were: Lindsey; Chas. Wolfelin, Allen Early, W. W. Rusk, Faris C. Oden, Bill DeFee, Oran Thomas, Ed Shaw, all of Amarillo; N. E. Mashburn, Geo. Head, John H. Patton, all of Hereford; Dr. Sam Johnson, of the Naval Hospital in Virginia; Hud Prichard, Pewee Gough, Jerry Newman, all of Canyon.

'Great Geyer' To Show at Tulia

Feature attraction of the 1952 Swisher County Fair in Tulia will be aerial exhibition of Eddie Geyer, known as "The Great Geyer."

The young infantry veteran does his acrobatics 130-feet from the ground. Performers agree that a fall from such a height would result in instant death.

Most aerialists work on riggings of 100-feet. Geyer claims the highest act in the American fair circuit.

Following his appearance at the Swisher County Fair, Geyer will appear at the New Mexico State Fair.

The aerialist will give two performances daily on September 18, 19, and 20.

J. B. Elliston of Hereford was a business caller in Canyon Friday. His family lived here several years ago, and Mr. Elliston has been greatly interested in the development of Palo Duro State Park.

Hand painted all silk Ties at Johnson's Men's Wear.

Treasury's tax "racket squad" uncovered \$73,176.196.

COFFEE IN CLEAVINGER HOME HONORS MRS. J. W. SHANKLIN

Mrs. M. E. Cleavinger, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. W. S. Miller, Miss Roberta Simpson and Mrs. Katherine Kunze, entertained in the home of Mrs. Cleavinger Wednesday morning from 9 until 11 o'clock with a coffee to honor Mrs. J. W. Shanklin of Houston who is a house guest of her sister, Mrs. J. A. Hill.

Members of the Presbyterian Auxiliary were guests. Mrs. Shanklin was a former member and worker in this society.

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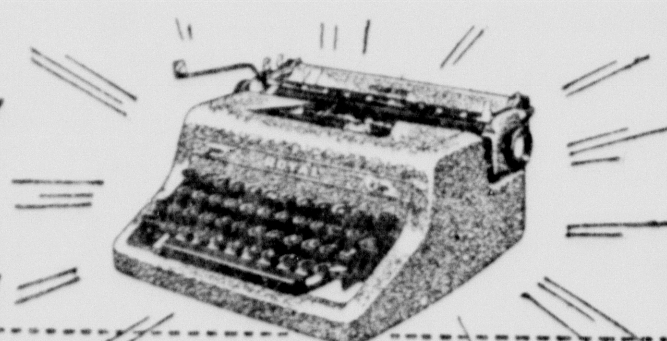
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The State Democratic Convention at Amarillo on the ninth of this month is probably going to do something a little different this year.

The problem is that there are a great many Texans who want to vote for General Eisenhower, but who do not want to leave the Democratic Party.

There are some people who would like simply to put Eisenhower and Nixon on the ticket as Democratic nominees. But that would not permit Governor Shivers to fulfill the pledge he made at Chicago: that he would do everything he could to get the Democratic nominees on the party ticket.

The solution, as worked out by Democrats for Eisenhower, is to have two Democratic Party tickets on the ballot.

One ticket would be headed "National Democrats" or "Federal Democrats" or perhaps even "Truman Democrats." Under that heading would be listed Stevenson, Sparkman, and the rest of the party nominees.

The other ticket would be headed "Texas Democrats" and would carry the names of Eisenhower, Nixon, and the state Democratic nominees.

The appearance of the "National Democratic" ticket would fulfill Governor Shivers' Chicago pledge. The "Texas Democratic" ticket would permit voters to cast their ballots for Eisenhower without bolting the party.

Of course, it is possible for voters to cast a split ticket; that is, to vote for Republican nominees for president and vice-president, if they so desire, and for the Democratic nominees for state, county, and local offices.

But the Texas Democrats for Eisenhower figure that voters of this state, most of whom have voted a straight party ticket all their lives, might be confused if they tried to split the ticket.

The simpler way, leaders of this group reason, is to provide two Democratic tickets. The voter can then choose: he can vote the ticket straight either way, for Eisenhower, Nixon, and the Democratic nominees for other offices; or for Stevenson, Sparkman, and the Democratic nominees for other offices.

Here is another refinement of the plan:

The "Texas Democrats" would have the same electors as the Republicans inasmuch as their choice for president is the same.

In other words, Eisenhower would get the electoral votes of the "Texas Democrats" and the Republicans. Stevenson would get the electoral votes of the "National Democrats."

All this is planning. It goes back to the Shivers program for an un-instructed delegation to the national convention at Chicago. The people gave him what he wanted by turning out in unprecedented numbers at the precinct conventions.

At Chicago, the Texas delegation was uninstructed and unplugged. The delegation took no oath except

The Answers . . .

1. Brig. Gen. Haydon L. Boatner.
2. On July 28, 1914.
3. On July 24, 1890.
4. Tibet.
5. A successor is appointed by the Governor of his state.
6. Mexico.
7. King George II of England.
8. Drawing.
9. Jerusalem.
10. On July 17, 1821, by Spain.

to use every means to see that the names of the Democratic Party nominees were placed on the ballot.

That will be done, I believe, and it will be done according to the method I have outlined above.

Governor Shivers has said that he cannot support Stevenson because of the Democratic Party nominees' stand against state control of the tidelands.

There are many Texans who agree with the governor. Many others disagree. All will have an opportunity to vote their preference in November.

Safety Association
Asks Drivers to
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It's School Time again in Texas and today W. Carlos Morris, Jr., President of the Texas Safety Association, issued an appeal to all Texans to redouble their efforts toward the saving of life and limb in this great state.

"This year probably more Texas boys and girls than ever before will be attending school for the first time. It will be a new experience for them and many will be sent out to go to, and to come from, school alone," he said. Motorists must keep this in mind. A youngster, thinking about baseball or football will often not see your car and may step off the curb in your path. Be watchful, Mr. and Mrs. Motorist — give the kids a brake!

For you who travel the highways, here is a point of interest to you. By Texas law, motor vehicles must stop for a stopped school bus — whether you are following or approaching. Don't run down an innocent child — and there will be over one third million youngsters traveling in Texas school buses this year.

And here is a final word to mothers and fathers: Teach your youngsters these Safety Rules:

1. Where there are sidewalks use them.
2. If they must walk in the street, walk facing oncoming traffic.
3. Cross only at intersections.
4. If riding a bicycle, ride it on the right side of the street and use hand signals.
5. Obey the safety patrols when and where safety patrols are used.

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Posture is to a woman's figure what humidity is to summer weather. Often we hear the wisecrack, "It's not the heat, it's the humidity." Yet rarely does a woman say, with equal truth, "It's not my pounds, it's my posture."

Few of us think about posture at all. We sit on our backbones to read, round our shoulders to write, work in the yard, do housework or drive the car. When we're tired, we relax stomach muscles and let ourselves go. We argue that we're being comfortable, yet that isn't always the result. According to the experts, incorrect posture can actually cause indigestion or neuralgia. We know a woman who had a persistent backache that she was sure indicated some serious ailment; but the doctor said no. Finally she realized a chronic habit of sitting with her right foot hooked around a chair leg was causing it. Exercises and sitting in the right position for a few days made the backache disappear.

Psychologists also claim that the way we sit, stand and walk tells a lot about character. Poor posture can be a dead giveaway for lack of self-confidence or self-respect. It says as plainly as words that we haven't an up-and-coming outlook.

If we want to see ourselves as others see us, we have only to watch for a few minutes in some public place to see how carelessly most women walk and stand. The woman who weighs 98 pounds looks scrawny if she stands wrong, petite and dainty if she stands right. A tall woman looks stately instead of oversized if she stands straight and tall. All women who "look like queens in their clothes" aren't the same size. What they have in common — besides good clothes — is self-confidence and a little posture know-how.

SERVICE DOCTORS

The Selective Service has announced that it may have to call middle-age physicians and dentists to fill medical quotas some time after October. Questionnaires have been mailed to all doctors and dentists under 51, who have not had previous military service or have not been on active duty since 1940.

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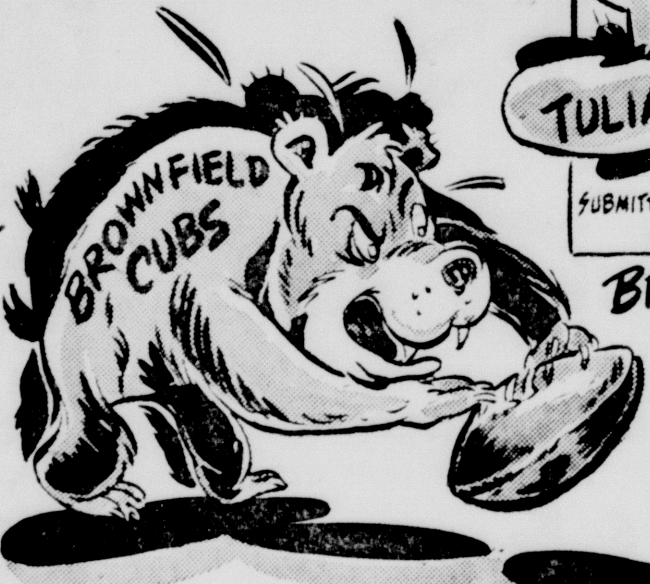
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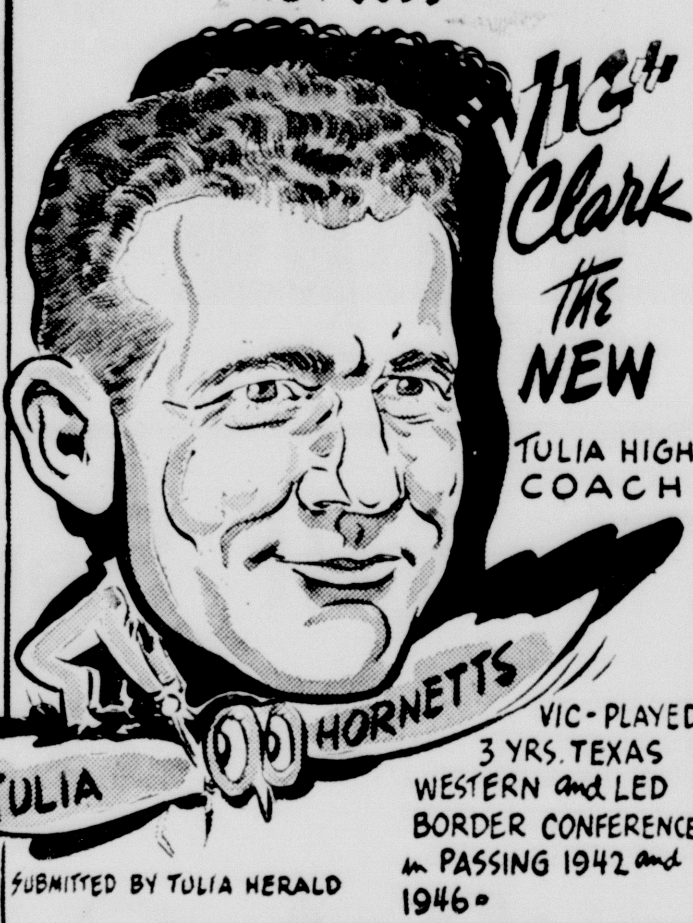
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J. W. Marsh and wife, Muriel Marsh, to Jack W. Rogers and wife, Sadie G. Rogers, lot no. 12 in block no. 3, Kings Acres Addition.

Robert P. Wilson and wife, Roberta Wilson, to Thomas C. Black and wife, Jereline Black, lot no. 11 in block no. 7, Palo Duro Addition.

D. A. O'Connor to Walter W. O'Connell and wife, Susan K. O'Connell, all of lot no. 22 in block no. 7, Gables Addition.

William Freeman to James O. Connell and wife, Elnora L. Connell, lot no. 14 in block no. 1, Paramount Addition.

Robert B. Parsley and wife, Harriet E. Parsley, to I. F. Barton, lot no. 6 in block no. 1, Gables Addition.

I. F. Barton to Beverly Investment Company, lot no. 6 in block no. 1, Gables Addition.
Mays Development Co. to J. C. Stone, lot no. 16 in block no. 3, Mays Heights.

Troy F. Jones to Wolfelin Terrace Co., the south 30 feet of lot no. 5 and all of lot no. 6, both in block 1-A, all of lot no. 1 and the north 12 feet of lot no. 39, in block no. 8-A, South Lawn.

Edward H. Frazier and wife, Pearl Frazier, to John H. Mansker and wife, Helen B. Mansker, lot no. 1 in block "O," Broadmoor Addition.

Ruby Meyers to Bill Knighton, all of lot no. 8 in block no. 73, Original Town of Canyon.

John G. McGee and wife, Norma J. McGee, to Clarence Spears, lot no. 5 in block "I," Broadmoor Addition.

B. B. Young and wife, Theresa Young, to William Edward Cole and wife, Laura Cole, lot no. 14 in block no. 11, Westhaven Park.

Glenn A. Truax and wife, Helen Truax, to Veterans' Land Board, State of Texas, 31 acres, more or less, out of tract no. 22 of McMurry Acres.

Hazel Clamp to Dr. Richard E. Carter and wife, Mable C. Carter, the west 40 feet of the north 100 feet of lot no. 7, both in block no. 13, Edgefield Addition.

Johnnie Lee Hall and husband, William Hall, to Addie W. Kelley, all of lot no. 18 in block no. 3, T-Anchor Addition.

William M. Rosenberger and wife Marie Clark Rosenberger, to John W. Coates, Jr., and wife, Emma L. Coates, lot no. 2 in block no. 5, T-Anchor Addition.

Amarillo Homes, Inc. to W. D. R. Salmon and wife, Edith Marie Salmon, lot no. 26 in block no. 21-E, South Lawn.

Amarillo Homes, Inc. to Robert L. Seale and wife, Frances Seale, lot no. 25 in block no. 21-E, South Lawn.

Long-Bell Lumber Co. to John W. Puntch and wife, Thelma Puntch, lot no. 7 in block "Q," Broadmoor Addition.

The Long-Bell Lumber Co. to T. C. Gardner, Jr., and wife, Marie Gardner, lot no. 10 in block "Q," Broadmoor Addition.

Home Building and Realty Co. to Fletcher Stephens Walters, Jr., and wife, Frances Lee Walters, lot no. 20 in block no. 1, Paramount Terrace Addition.

Henry E. Grice and wife, Alvena M. Grice, lot no. 1 in block no. 32, Edgefield Addition.

James C. Terry to William E. Vick and wife, Mary Little Vick, the south 70 feet of lot no. 4 and the north 41 feet of lot no. 5, block no. 91, Wolfelin Park Unit.

Mays Development Company to H. N. Chowning, Jr., all of lot no.

8 and a portion of lot no. 9 in block no. 2, Mays Heights.

Broadmoor Development Co. to Wm. G. Heffley and wife, Ila J. Heffley, lot no. 8 in block no. 18-D, South Lawn.

Donald Eddy and wife, Voncelle E. Eddy, to Cecil H. Johnson and wife, Florine Johnson, lot no. 4 in block no. 6, Gilvin & Brymer College Park Addition.

C. L. Munday to Huey Hillard Cook, Jr., and wife, Countess J. Cook, lot no. 9 in block no. 14-C, South Lawn.

Alan Johnson and wife, Dixie Johnson, to Ray Alexander, lot no. 12 in block no. 4, T-Anchor Addition.

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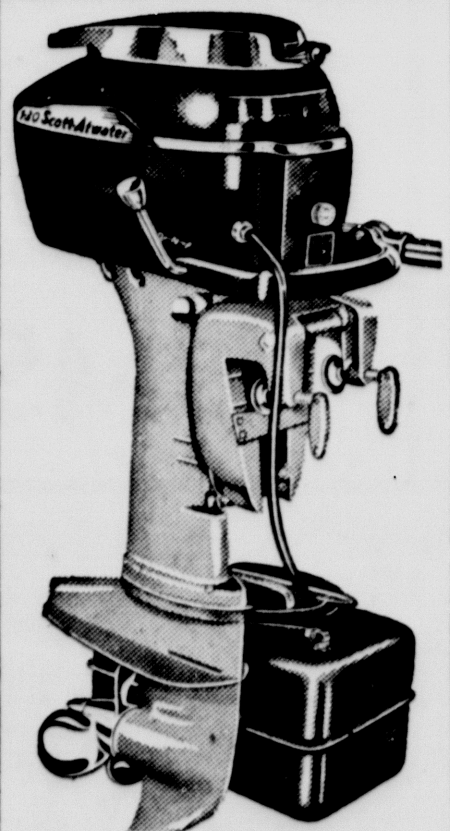
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